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FREE FOR ALL

B., 1942, BY QUESTIONNAIRE—PANAY, BY *CHICLE

Undefeated at Two—

Ranked First on Experimental Handicap With Pavot at 126 lbs.

Free For All is one of the few unbeaten 2-year-old champions in recent turf history. In five starts he won the Hyde Park Stakes (NTR of 1:04 2/5, for 5½ furlongs), Arlington Park Futurity (easily by 2½ lengths), Washington Park Futurity (by 1½ lengths). In the Experimental Handicap, Free For All was rated at 126 pounds, top weight, along with Pavot. Free for All won $111,225.

At the recent Keeneland yearling sales, the get of Free For All brought the highest average price of any American-bred sire represented by their first crop. Two fillies brought $6,000 each, the colt $4,000. The average was $5,333.

Concensus of opinion rates Free for All's produce as exceptionally promising.

By QUESTIONNAIRE

Free For All is a son of Questionnaire, whose sons are proving remarkable successes in the stud, including Requested, Hash, Third Degree, etc. Free for All is out of the *Chicle mare Panay, dam of five foals to race, four winners, one placed. She is half-sister to a stakes winner, and is out of a stakes winning daughter of the famous mare Panasine.

B., 1942	Questionnaire	Sting, by Spurr Miss Puzzle, by Disguise
	Panay	*Chicle, by Spearmint Panasette, by Whisk Broom II

(Property of John Marsch)

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REMINDERS

1949 August 1949

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
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PAYMENTS DUE

Sept. 15 Keeneland: Breeders' Futurity (1950), $20.

STAKES

Aug. 20 Washington Park: Whirlaway S., $30,000a, 3yo up, 1m.
Saratoga: Saratoga H., $25,000a, 3yo up, 1¼m; Grand Union Hotel S., $10,000a, 2yo, 6f.
Atlantic City: Ocean City H., $10,000a, 3yo up, 1 1/16m.
Del Mar: San Diego H., $10,000a, 3yo up, 1 1/16m.

Aug. 24 Washington Park: Prairie State S., $25,000a, 2yo, 6f.
Saratoga: Alabama S., $20,000a, 3yo f, 1¼m.

Aug. 25 Washington Park: Meadowland H., $20,000a, 3yo up, 1 3/16m (turf).
Saratoga: Saratoga Cup, $15,000a, 3yo up, 1¾m.

Aug. 26 Saratoga: Saratoga Stp. H., $10,000a, 4yo up, 2½m.

Aug. 27 Washington Park: American Derby, $60,000a, 3yo, 1¼m.
Del Mar: Del Mar Derby, $15,000a, 3yo, 1 1/16m.
Saratoga: Hopeful S., $20,000a, 2yo, 6½f.
Atlantic City: Absecon Island H., $10,000a, 3yo up, 1⅛m.

Aug. 28 Longacres: Longacres Mile, $15,000a, 3yo up, 1m.

Aug. 29 Aqueduct: Bay Shore H., $15,000a, 3yo up, 7f.

Aug. 31 Washington Park: Beverly H., $25,000a, up, f and m, 1m.
Aqueduct: Astarita S., $10,000a, 2yo f, 6f.

Sept. 1 Aqueduct: Harbor Hill Stp. H., $10,000a, 3yo up, abt. 2m.

Sept. 3 Washington Park: Princess Pat S., $25,000a, 2yo f, 6f.
Del Mar: Del Mar Futurity, $15,000a, 2yo, 6f.
Atlantic City: Boardwalk H., $10,000a, 3yo up, 6f.
Aqueduct: Aqueduct H., $20,000a, 3yo up, 1 1/16m.

Sept. 4 Longacres: Washington Futurity, $5,000a, 2yo Washington bred, 5½f.

Sept. 5 Longacres: Governor's H., $7,500a, 3yo up, 1 1/16m.
Washington Park: Washington Park H., $50,000a, 3yo up, 1¼m.
Del Mar: Labor Day H., $10,000a, 3yo up, 6f.
Atlantic City: Atlantic City Turf H., $25,000a, 3yo up, 1 1/16m (turf).
Aqueduct: Discovery H., $20,000a, 3yo, 1⅛m.

Sept. 7 Aqueduct: Babylon H., $10,000a, 2yo, 6f.

Sept. 8 Bushwick Hurdle H., $10,000a, 3yo up, abt. 2m.

Sept. 10 La Mesa Park: Raton Futurity, $1,000a, 2yo, 5f.
Del Mar: Del Mar H., $10,000a, 3yo up, 1⅛m.
Atlantic City: Pageant H., $10,000a, 3yo, 1⅛m.
Aqueduct: Edgemere H., $20,000a, 3yo up, 1⅛m.

Sept. 14 Aqueduct: Cowdin S., $20,000a, 2yo, 6½f.

Sept. 15 Aqueduct: Glendale Stp. H., $10,000a, 4yo up, 2½m.

MISCELLANEOUS DATES

Aug. 20 Stamford Park (Belleville Driving and Athletic Association) opens, 14 days, closing Sept. 5.
Keeneland Fall yearling sale closes.

Aug. 27 Saratoga closes.

Aug. 29 Aqueduct opens, 18 days, closing Sept. 17.

Sept. 1 Playfair opens, 33 days, closing Oct. 16. Mondays dark except Labor Day.

Sept. 3 Rockingham Park closes.

Sept. 5 Longacres closes.
Hamilton, Ohio, closes.
Washington Park closes.
Narragansett Park opens, 24 days closing Oct. 1.

THE "SIGN" FOR AUGUST

20-21	♋	Breast	26-27	♎	Reins
22-23	♌	Heart	28-29	♏	Secrets
24-25	♍	Bowels	30-31	♐	Thighs

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Keeneland Sales

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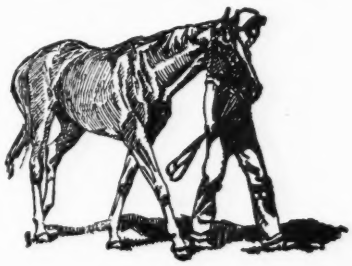

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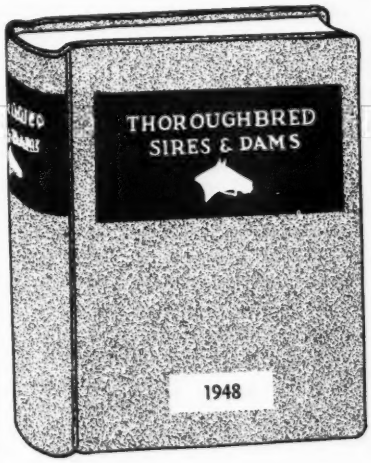

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*PRINCEQUILLO

Prince Rose	Rose Prince	*Prince Palatine
		Eglantine
	Indolence	Gay Crusader
		Barrier (10)
*Cosquilla	Papyrus	Tracery
		Miss Matty
	Quick Thought	White Eagle
		Mindful (1)

(Property of A. B. Hancock and Dimitri Djordjadze)

Sire of Hill Prince winner

World's Playground Stakes at Atlantic City

Winner 4 out of 5 starts, 2nd once

*Princequillo's other winners: Yoncalla, Maid of Afton, Vital, Print, Plucky Prince, Miss Deductive, Junior Nurse, Phony Title, Prince's Bid. From 12 starters in his first crop, eight winners of 21 races.

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Claiborne Stud

A. B. HANCOCK PARIS, KY

Saratoga SALES Summaries

Sessions 3 Through 8

During the first eight sessions of the current yearling sales at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., being conducted by the Fasig-Tipton Company, 356 yearlings were sold for $1,348,900, average $3,789. During the first eight sessions last year, 383 yearlings averaged $4,122. The decline from last year thus was slightly under 8 per cent, which in the light of general trends indicates a relative stability of the Saratoga auctions.

Through the summaries listed below, the auctions through Tuesday night, August 17, are accounted for. Only one more sale of yearlings was to be held. The remaining auctions of the week, after Wednesday night, were concerned with breeding stock and horses-in-training.

Until Tuesday night, August 16, the sales followed their normal course. But on Tuesday a situation developed which had a counterpart in 1941, when Thomas Piatt, the Lexington breeder, withdrew the majority of his consignment because he thought they were selling below their worth.

On the present occasion John W. Stanley, of Springside Stud, between Lexington and Versailles, withdrew his yearlings for the same reason. In the case of Mr. Piatt three sales which already had been made were allowed to stand. In the case of Mr. Stanley, the announcement of the withdrawals was made after two yearlings had been sold. First of the Stanley yearlings in the ring was a brother to the stakes winner Double Jay. He went for $7,500. Then came a colt by Halcyon—Tragic Muse, which brought $4,000.

At this point Humphrey S. Finney, announcer, informed the audience that Mr. Stanley was not satisfied with the prices brought by the first two yearlings and had decided to withdraw the remainder of the consignment. It was stated later that the breeder had arranged to cancel the two sales already made, and the whole lot therefore was withdrawn and recorded as not having been sold. Mr. Stanley did not immediately announce his plans for the yearlings.

A complete recapitulation of the Saratoga sales will be published in THE BLOOD-HORSE next week.

Wednesday Night, August 10

Consignments of Darby Dan Farms and Breckinridge Long brought the highest single prices and the highest average prices of the third session. In the Galbreath consignment were 20 head which sold for a total of $128,900, average $6,455. Included in this group was one of the two high prices of the evening, $18,000, paid by Hugh A. Grant for a colt by *Heliopolis—Bum's Rush, by Blue Larkspur.

The other $18,000 purchase was a colt by Shut Out—Nasca, by *Rosolio, one of two sold by Breckinridge Long. Mr. Long's average was $10,850. Among fillies, the top price was $17,500 paid for Darby Dan Farms' daughter of Bull Lea—Chicbella, by *Chicle. She was bought by the Clark Horse Agency.

The market on Wednesday night was still below the comparable session of last year, but the average price was approximately 30 per cent above the average of the night before.

Consignor	1949 No.	1949 Amt.	1949 Avg.	1948 No.	1948 Avg.
Country Life Farm	8	$ 19,500	$2,438	1	$1,700
Country Life Farm and J. M. Roebling	1	400		1	10,200
Darby Dan Farm	20	128,900	6,445		
Fry, Lawrence	1	1,600			
Greenhalgh, Mrs. G. P.	5	10,600	2,300	3	3,833
Lipscomb, W. H.	3	3,800	1,600	1	4,100
Long, Breckinridge	2	21,700	10,850		
Morven Stud	9	17,100	1,900		
Novick, David	5	7,700	1,540	9	2,500
	54	$211,300	$3,913		

Property of COUNTRY LIFE FARM

B. f. by Occupy—Alexandrine, by St. James ....Humphrey S. Finney, agent $ 4,000
Ch. c. by Lochinvar—Carickmacross, by Chance Play .....R. N. Webster 1,500
Br. c. by Lochinvar—Deepoint Jean, by Jean Bart .....Mrs. S. M. Pistorio 400
Ch. f. by Pensive—Dime a Dance, by Reaping Reward.....Sunshine Stable 1,300
B. f. by Sun Again—Molasses Betts, by Jean Bart .....John J. Swisher 2,600
Br. c. by Lochinvar—Nedisco, by Neddie Eugene Jacobs 5,700
B. c. by The Rhymer—Roman Matron, by Pompey .....Mrs. S. M. Pistorio 2,000
Br. f. by Roman—Vivacious, by Stimulus .....Mrs. S. M. Pistorio 2,000

COUNTRY LIFE FARM AND J. M. ROEBLING

B. f. by Wildlife—No Tip, by The Porter Mrs. C. Tumin 400

DARBY DAN FARM

Br. c. by Roman—Betty Johnson, by *Cohort .....Gee M. Cohen 2,500
B. f. by Whirlaway—Bleebok, by Blue Larkspur .....J. J. Swisher, agent 3,300
B. c. by Best Seller—*Bosnia, by Bosworth .....Addison Stable 5,400
B. f. by Bull Lea—Breath of Air, by Black Toney .....Mrs. E. S. Moore 15,500
B. c. by *Heliopolis—Bum's Rush, by Blue Larkspur .....Hugh A. Grant 18,000
B. f. by Bull Lea—Chicbella, by *Chicle Clark Horse Agency 17,500
Br. c. by *Heliopolis—Darby Delilah, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd Mrs. E. A. Nicodemus 11,500
B. f. by Errard—Darby Dingo, by Fighting Fox .....Harold Campbell 1,200
Ch. c. by Errard—Darby Dnieper, by *Sickle .....C. E. Mather, 2nd 4,300
B. f. by Errard—Darby Duma, by *Sickle John T. Maloney 1,100
B. f. by Questionnaire—Darby Dunedin, by *Blenheim 2nd ..G. M. Humphrey 9,000
B. f. by Bless Me—Dulcis, by Burgoo King John T. Maloney 1,100
Blk. f. by Bless Me—Friendly, by *Blenheim 2nd .....Henry H. Knight 1,700
B. c. by Best Seller—Harpen Belle, by *Harpenden .....Courtney Burton 2,500
B. c. by Best Seller—Ouphe, by *St. Germans .....Gee M. Cohen 1,000
B. f. by *Heliopolis—Puppy Love, by *Bull Dog .....Glen Riddle Stable 15,500
Blk. c. by Fighting Fox—Roselake, by Bostonian .....Mrs. E. S. Moore 7,500
B. c. by Best Seller—Torietta, by Toro G. F. Strickland 1,400
B. f. by Sir Damion—*Valdina Spirea, by Canon Law.....Donald Dryer 1,900
Ch. f. by War Admiral—Wise Ally, by Wise Counsellor...Hugh Dufford, agent 8,000

LAWRENCE FRY

Ch. c. by Reigh Count—Double Back, by Haste .....C. O. Frye 1,600

MRS. GEORGE P. GREENHALGH

Gr. c. by *Easton—Gino's Moll, by *Gino W. B. Cocks 1,000
B. c. by *Jacopo—Kentmere Girl, by *Teddy .....E. Siravo 1,800
B. f. by Battleship—Lawyer's Wife, by Good Advice.....Chester Myers 3,100
B. c. by Some Chance—Philae, by Sun Beau .....Walter Wickes 2,100
Br. c. by War Jeep—Tedeen, by *Teddy Happy Hill Farm 2,600

W. H. LIPSCOMB

Lt. ch. f. by Dunlin—Sunny Cloud, by High Cloud .....Virginia H. Burke 500
B. c. by *Jacopo—Tedbriar, by *Teddy R. N. Webster 1,300
Ch. f. by Dunlin—Tedgal, by *Teddy Apheim Stable 2,000

BRECKINRIDGE LONG

Br. c. by *Challenger 2nd—Equipet, by Equipoise .....H. S. Finney, agent 3,700
Ch. c. by Shut Out—Nasca, by *Rosolio King Ranch 18,000

MORVEN STUD (Whitney Stone)

B. c. by *Rustom Sirdar—Blind Land, by Blind Play.....Walter Wickes Jr. 900
Ch. c. by Some Chance—Blue Sheen, by Toro .....Mrs. Ralph McIlvain 3,300
Ch. c. by Some Chance—Blue Vixen, by Gallant Fox .....R. S. Howard 800
Br. f. by Pilate—Cavatina, by Cavalcade Donald Dryer 900

B. f. by Johnstown—Exciting, by Stimulus ..... J. J. Swisher, agent 2,500
B. f. by *Rhodes Scholar—Flight, by Stimulus ..... Carr Hatch 900
B. c. by Pilate—Gallow, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd ..... Bayard Sharp 4,200
Ro. f. by First Fiddle—Plucky Polly, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd C. T. Chenery 2,000
Br. f. by Apache—Springbok, by Pompey ..... Bobanet Stable 1,600

DAVID NOVICK

B. f. by Hoop, Jr.—Compomac, by *Challenger 2nd ..... Norman Tallman 1,200
Ch. c. by Pictor—Gallante, by Gallant Fox ..... Norman Tallman 600
Ch. c. by Some Chance—Off the Beam, by Pilate ..... Frank Nadaline Jr. 1,300
B. c. by Errard—Paris Bonnet, by Cocked Hat ..... M. F. Drinkhouse 1,500
B. c. by Pilate—Pompaway, by Pompey M. F. Drinkhouse 3,100

CATALOGUED BUT NOT SOLD

MRS. GEORGE P. GREENHALGH

Br. f. by Case Ace—Sallyport, by War Hero.

W. H. LIPSCOMB

Br. f. by *Jacopo—Tedema, by *Teddy.

SARATOGA SUMMARIES BY SESSIONS

1949				1948			
Session	*No.*	*Amt.*	*Avg.*	*Session*	*No.*	*Amt.*	*Avg.*
1	40	$ 78 400	$1,960	1	49	$ 120,200	$2,453
2	50	140,400	2,808	2	53	251,600	4,747
3	54	211,300	3,913	3	50	355,000	7,100
4	53	312,000	5,887	4	55	477,800	8,687
5	55	396,800	7,215	5	45	114,000	2,533
6	32	81,100	2,534	6	46	118,500	2,576
7	45	73,650	1,637	7	44	93,900	2,134
8	27	55,250	2,046	8	41	47,850	1,167
				9	12	21,200	1,766
	356	$1,348,900	$3,789		395	$1,600,050	$4,050

Thursday Night, August 11

Prices neared the peak of the first six sessions on Thursday night when 53 head went for $312,000, average $5,887. Despite reluctance of bidders to make large raises, which was prevalent in all sessions, two consignors managed to get higher averages than they got in 1948. These were Nydrie Stud and Meadowview Farms Inc. This year, Nydrie sold 10 head for an average of $7,350, compared to an average of $6,830 for the same number last year. Meadowview Farms' increase was from an average price of $3,185 to $3,775.

In addition to Nydrie Stud, the larger consignments were those of Blenheim Farms and Ernst Farm, consisting of 10 yearlings each. The high price of the session was for Ernst Farm's filly by Bull Lea—Alpoise, by Equipoise. She went for $25,000. The highest-priced colt was Nydrie Stud's yearling by First Fiddle—Seaway, by Man o' War, for which Mrs. Aksel Wichfeld paid $21,000.

Frank J. Heller's consignment of six yearlings brought the highest average of the session. The three colts and three fillies brought a total of $46,900, average $7,817. Featured in this group were some of the first yearlings by the Australian stallion *Bernborough. A colt by *Bernborough—Dark Tower, by *Blenheim 2nd, brought $15,500.

The summary:

	1949			1948	
Consignor	No.	Amt.	Avg.	No.	Avg.
Blenheim Farms	10	$ 67,900	$6,790	8	$10 057
Blue Ridge Farm	3	9,000	3,000	5	18,780
Ernst Farm	10	64,200	6,420		
Heller, Frank J.	6	46 900	7,817	6	9,383
Meadowview Farms, Inc.	4	15,100	3,775	7	3,185
Meadowview Farms, Inc. (agent)	1	600			
Miller, Dr. Frank P.	8	31,800	3,975	9	4,666
Nydrie Stud	10	73,500	7,350	10	6,830
Phipps, Hubert	1	3,000		1	7,300
	53	$312,000	$5,887		

Property of BLENHEIM FARMS

B. f. by *Isolater—Circus Ring, by *Bull Dog ..... Mrs. Anderson Fowler $ 4,200
Ch. c. by Count Fleet—Designate, by Bud Lerner ..... Henry L. Straus 4,500
B. f. by Shut Out—Gigglet, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd ..... Justin Funkhouser 1,500
B. c. by *Piping Rock—Highclere, by Jack High ..... Rigan McKinney 7,100
B. c. by By Jimminy—Kentucky Belle, by Johnstown ..... David Nossek 1,600
Ch. f. by Fenelon—Polly Briar, by *Sun Briar ..... W. G. Jones 1,500
Ch. f. by Sun Again—P T Boat, by Trace Call ..... William Post 11,000
B. c. by *Bernborough—Responsive, by *Foray 2nd ..... Jack Chrysler 10,500
Ch. c. by Whirlaway—Tierce, by *St. Germans ..... H. F. Krimendahl 4,000
Ch. f. by Case Ace—Zacelina, by Zacaweista ..... Montpelier Farm 19,000

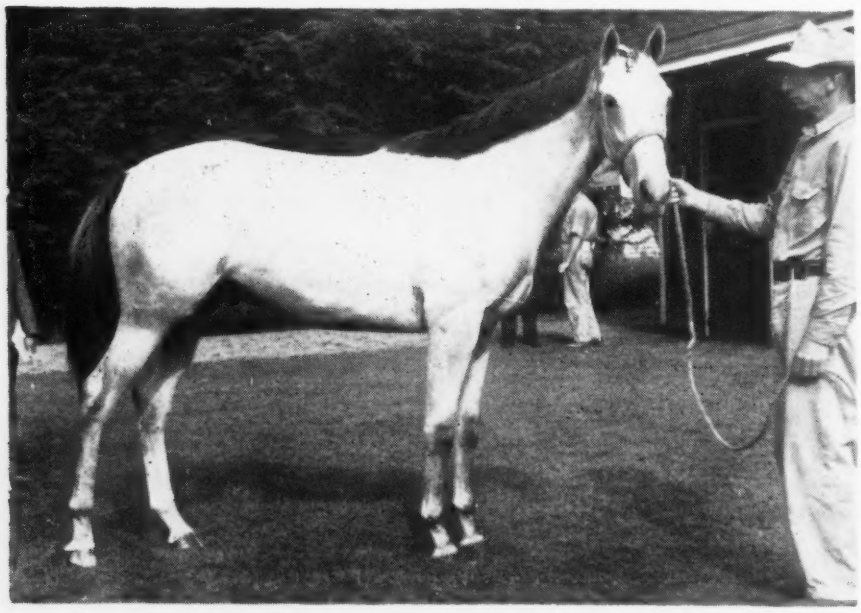
BLUE RIDGE FARMS

(Mrs. George L. Harrison)

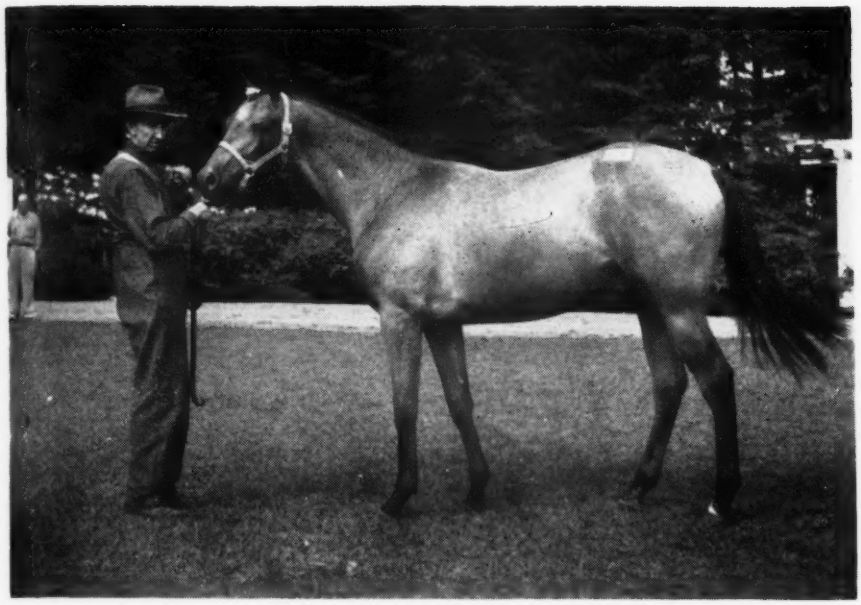
Ch. f. by Teddy's Comet—Blonde Belle, by *North Star 3rd Royal Palm Stable 4,000
B. c. by Market Wise—Bourbonette, by *Teddy ..... Bruno and Dryer 1,000
Ch. c. by Whirlaway—War Wedding, by Man o' War ..... Mrs. A. C. Randolph 4,000

ERNST FARM

Br. c. by Alquest—Alagold, by *Blenheim 2nd ..... Charles Whittingham 2,000
Dk. b. c. by Questionnaire—Albonny, by *Pharamond 2nd ..... Bayard Sharp 15,000
B. c. by Aletern—Alnaire, by Questionnaire ..... J. A. Amiel 3,000
B. f. by Aletern—Alnelle, by Johnstown ..... J. A. Amiel 2,600
B. f. by Aletern—Alnorad, by *Pharamond 2nd ..... J. P. Smith 2,200
Br. f. by Alquest—Alphaxa, by *Pharamond 2nd ..... Walter C. Kelley, agent 2,000
B. f. by Bull Lea—Alpoise, by Equipoise ..... Clark Horse Agency 25,000



THE SPECTATORS BUZZED with comment when this handsome gray *Mahmoud—Irvana colt entered the Saratoga sales ring. They buzzed some more when Leslie Combs II paid $21,000 for him. He is a half brother to the stakes winners Okana and No Strings. Almahurst Farm consignment.



HIGHEST PRICE of the Saratoga sales was $32,000, paid by Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane's Brookmeade Stable for this gray colt by *Mahmoud—Forever Yours, a brother to Mahmoudess and a half brother to Eternal Reward. He was in the Almahust consignment, which included other top yearlings.

Ch. f. by *Bernborough—Joji T., by Supremus ..... J. J. Amiel 3,000
B. c. by Aletern—Sun Bijur, by *Sun Briar ..... Cedar Farm 3,300
B. c. by Alorter—Xanthina, by My Play
Walter C. Kelley, agent 6,100

FRANK J. HELLER

Ro. f. by *Blenheim 2nd—Danise M., by *Epinard ..... Cromwell Bloodstock Agency 10,000
Br. c. by *Bernborough—Dark Tower, by *Blenheim 2nd ..... Mrs. C. O. Iselin 15,500
Blk. f. by Balladier—Dungene, by Sun Teddy ..... Samuel D. Riddle 3,100
Ch. c. by Requested—Fairy Conte, by Supremus ..... Cromwell Bloodstock Agency 9,000
B. c. by *Bernborough—Markerit, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd ..... H. A. Dunn 4,300
Gr. f. by Menow—Royal Imp, by *Royal Minstrel ..... Fred Astaire 5,000

MEADOWVIEW FARMS, INC.
(F. Wallis Armstrong)

Br. f. by *Easton—Come Again, by *Teddy ..... Douglas M. Davis 6,400
B. c. by *Easton—Granheart, by Granville ..... Mrs. A. C. Randolph 900
Br. f. by *Easton—Malcolm Lass, by John P. Grier ..... Mrs. A. C. Randolph 800
Br. c. by War Admiral—Rash Hurry, by John P. Grier ..... C. E. Buckley 7,000

MEADOWVIEW FARMS, INC., Agent

B. c. by Attention—Valdina Tutor, by Teddy's Comet ..... C. F. Ebert 600

DR. FRANK PORTER MILLER

Dk. b. c. by Occupation—Belle Insco, by Insco ..... Frank Morreale 1,000
B. c. by *Sir Gallahad 3rd—Best Family, by Questionnaire ..... Rigan McKinney 6,500
B. f. by Can't Wait—Copper Jade, by Jamestown ..... Walter Wickes Jr. 900
B. c. by Count Fleet—Delmarie, by Pompey ..... J. J. Amiel 3,700
B. c. by Hash—Doggerel, by *Bull Dog
C. E. Buckley 4,000
Ch. f. by Requested—Fantail, by Carrier Pigeon ..... J. A. Kroeck 4,200
Ch. c. by Some Chance—*Gamine, by Colorado Kid ..... Rigan McKinney 4,500
St. ro. f. by *Alibhai—Reigh Grey, by Reigh Count ..... Hirsch Jacobs 7,000

NYDRIE STUD

B. c. by *Easton—Broad Ripple, by Stimulus ..... Hugh A. Grant 12,000
B. f. by Occupation—Challomine, by *Challenger 2nd ..... Roscoe Goose 4,700
B. f. by *Bull Dog—Coronium, by *Pot au Feu ..... Mrs. A. C. Randolph 3,600
B. c. by Shut Out—Gallant Lady, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd ..... J. M. Roebling 6,000
B. c. by *Princequillo—*Highland Dell, by Craig an Eran ..... C. T. Chenery 2,600
Ch. f. by Count Fleet—Morning, by American Flag ..... J. M. Roebling 10,000
Br. f. by Devil Diver—Navy Nurse, by War Admiral ..... Mrs. Ellen Ellison 3,000
B. f. by Bolingbroke—Nuit Noire, by *Bull Dog ..... M. F. Drinkhouse 1,100
Ch. f. by Questionnaire—Peggy Byrne, by Stimulus ..... James Cox Brady 9,500
B. c. by First Fiddle—Seaway, by Man o' War ..... Mrs. Aksel Wichfeld 21,000

HUBERT PHIPPS

Br. f. by By Jimminy—Festivities, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd
John T. Maloney, agent 3,000

CATALOGUED BUT NOT SOLD

BLENHEIM FARMS

Br. f. by Fighting Fox—Pandita, by *Pharamond 2nd.

Friday Night, August 12

"The buyers came earlier and stayed later," one observer said in describing the sale of Friday night, when 20 head from Almahurst Farm went for $261,100, average $13,055. Also of note were 13 colts, dispersed by North Wales Stud, which brought $56,000, average $4,308. The high of the evening and of the first week was for Henry Knight's gray colt by *Mahmoud—Forever Yours, by Toro, bought by Brookmeade Stable for $32,000. The high-priced filly was Knight's yearling by *Bull Dog—At Top, by American Flag. Mrs. D. C. Neumann paid $13,000 for this one.

Among the Chrysler colts, the high price was $13,000, paid by Mrs. C. O. Iselin for one by First Fiddle—Dinner Date, by Stimulus.

Last year's comparable average for the entire session was $8,687. This year, the average for Almahurst Night was $7,215. However, the horses consigned by Henry Knight brought a higher average this year than they brought last year, $13,055 compared to $11,725.

The summary:

	1949			1948	
Consignor	No.	Amt.	Avg.	No.	Avg.
Almahurst Farm	20	$261,100	$13,055	20	$11,725
Hewitt, A. S.	8	23,100	2,888		
Kentmere Farm	7	28,900	4,129	4	10,225
North Cliff Farm (Mr. and Mrs. Melville Church 2nd)	7	27,700	3,957	6	4,833
North Wales Stud	13	56,000	4,308	17	1,923
	55	$396,800	$ 7,215		

ALMAHURST FARM

B. f. by *Bull Dog—At Top, by American Flag ..... Mrs. O. C. Neumann $ 13,000
B. f. by *Heliopolis—Brush Away, by *Bull Dog
Mr. and Mrs. James H. Seley 11,000
Ch. c. by *Mahmoud—Clickety Clack, by Flying Heels ..... Circle M Farm 17,000
B. c. by *Blenheim 2nd—Doggie Pam, by *Bull Dog ..... Samuel D. Riddle 28,500
B. c. by *Bull Dog—Dustabout, by *Rhodes Scholar
Mr. and Mrs. James H. Seley 16,200
Ch. c. by Teddy's Comet—Floragina, by *Gino ..... I. J. Collins 16,000
Gr. c. by *Mahmoud—Forever Yours, by Toro ..... Brookmeade Stable 32,000
Ch. f. by Grand Slam—Galagav, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd ..... H. F. Krimendahl 3,000
Dk. b. f. by Teddy's Comet—Gay Crest, by *Pharamond 2nd
Sheldon H. Fairbanks 12,000
B. c. by Teddy's Comet—Grey Shot, by Chance Shot ..... J. Graham Brown 8,100
Gr. c. by *Mahmoud—Irvana, by Blue Larkspur ..... Leslie Combs 2nd 21,000

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STUD NEWS

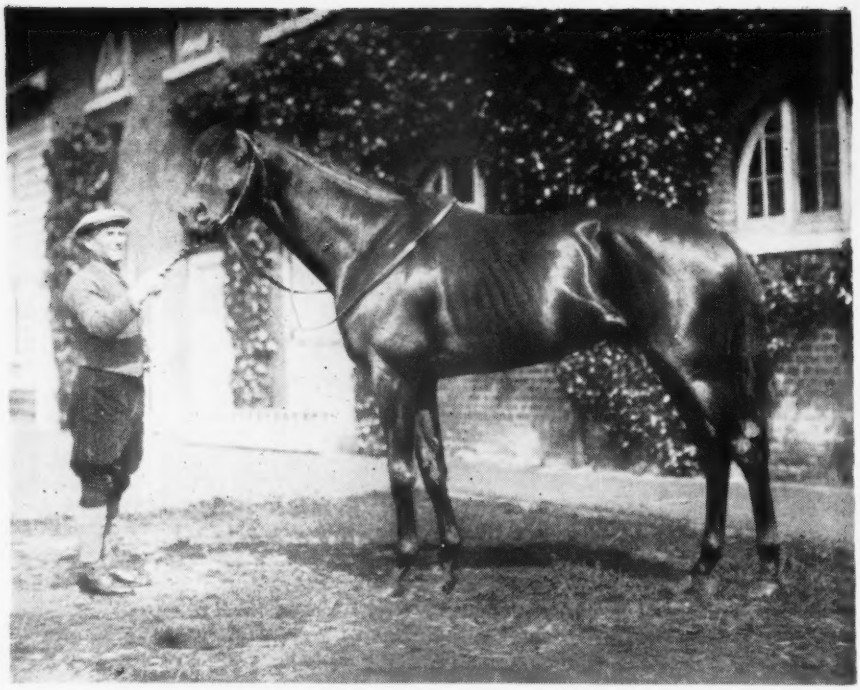
Leslie Combs Buys Ardan

The purchase of the French stallion Ardan for stud duty in the U. S. was announced this week by Leslie Combs 2nd. The 8-year-old bay by Pharis—Adargatis, by Asterus—Helene de Troie by Helicon—Lady of Pedigree, probably will be brought to this country in the fall, after veterinary inspection and other details have been attended to. The purchase was made by Mr. Combs from Marcel Boussac through Baron Fred d'Ostend, former manager of the Boussac stud, who is now in this country.

The transaction was made by Mr. Combs himself and not for a syndicate, though he stated that "I may take in a few partners later." Purchase price was not disclosed, nor have the terms on which he will stand at Spendthrift Farm, Lexington, been decided.

Ardan, bred and raced by Mr. Boussac, raced at two through five. In 23 starts he won 16 races, was four times second, twice third, and once fourth, at distances from five to 15 furlongs. On three occasions when he was defeated it was by stablemates, and once he was disqualified from first to third.

At two he won the Prix Robert Papin, was second in the Prix Morny and the Grand Criterium. At three he won the Prix de Guiche, Prix Greffulhe, Prix Hocquart, Prix Lupin, Prix du Jockey Club (French Derby), and Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe. He was third in the Grand Prix de Paris and the Prix Royal Oak.



AT THE AGE OF FIVE (above), Ardan was described as having an "intelligent eye . . . fine, muscular neck . . . deep, well-sloped shoulder . . . strong, level back . . . and well ribbed up middle . . ." The photo was made after his easy victory over Rising Light in England's Coronation Cup.

At four he was victor in the Prix Boiard, Prix du Nabob, Prix du Hedouville, Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud, Prix Kergorlay, and Prix de Chantilly. He was second in the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe. At five he won the Grand Prix du Tremblay, the Coronation Cup (England), and the Prix Kergorlay, was second in the Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud and fourth in the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe.

Adargatis, his dam, won the French Oaks, beating Mary Tudor, and also has produced the stakes winners Adaris, Pharatis, Allegrice, and Taranis. Helene de Troie, the second dam, is ancestress of such American horses as Busher, Mr. Busher, Striking, The Admiral, and Bimelech. Ardan's oldest foals are yearlings.

MISS MILDRED WOOLWINE
Kentucky is handier.

Woolwine Horses to Kentucky

Planning a general expansion of breeding interests, Miss Mildred Woolwine, of Nashville, Tenn., has leased a 700-acre tract of Elmendorf Farm from Peter A. B. Widener 3rd. The lease is for a two-year period with an option to buy. Miss Woolwine, owner of White Oak Farm, near Franklin, Tenn., explained that the impossibility of expanding the 112-acre Tennessee farm, and the general convenience of a Kentucky location, had prompted the move. She added that White Oak Farm would be sold.

The leased area borders on the Paris Pike and Hughes Lane, and includes the training barn and the training track. Miss Woolwine plans to use these facilities for breaking yearlings. The Woolwine stock includes seven mares, all of which will be shipped to Kentucky. She plans to buy more mares in the near future, and intends to board broodmares at the farm.

Miss Woolwine said that she had "no plans for a stallion, as yet." She mentioned the possibility, however, that she might consider keeping a stallion belonging to another breeder. The new farm will be managed by Chester A. Gates, formerly of Elmendorf and now at White Oak.

Miss Woolwine has been a regular consignor to the Keeneland sales since the Breeders Sales Company was founded in 1944. She has not been engaged in the Thoroughbred breeding industry for a great length of time, but she has been extremely successful.

Best horse she has bred is Ace Admiral, which recently lowered the world record for 1⅝ miles. Miss Woolwine paid $22,500 for War Flower, dam of Ace Admiral, at the Keeneland Fall Sales of 1944. The mare was carrying Ace Admiral at the time. The colt was sold as a yearling for $30,000, top price of a group of four Woolwine yearlings which brought $100,000 in 1946.

Miss Woolwine was the first secretary-treasurer of the Thoroughbred Club of Tennessee, and was named the outstanding member of that organization in 1946.

SIDELIGHTS, by Joe H. Palmer

Headlong Flight from a Shadow; 800 Horses Would Be Too Many

NEW YORK

Coming up to his 75th birthday last month, James E. (Sunny Jim) Fitzsimmons was moved to reminiscence about his riding days in the hearing of James Roach, of the New York *Times*. There was, for instance, the time he rode under lights.

Belair's now venerable trainer hit the stretch in front, a few feet out from the rail. Inside him came a challenge, just perceptible from the corner of his eye. He went to the whip and felt his mount lengthen stride under him. But the challenger wasn't put away; he was still there, moving stride for stride. Finally Mr. Fitz, driving with hands, heels, and whip, got under the wire in front, and then turned to see what had been pushing him so hard. It was his shadow.

Mr. Fitz, like Bucephalus after Alexander had got through schooling him, is no longer afraid of his shadow. But the tale moved the representative of the august *Times* to an unjournalistic display of energy which, I hope, does not spread. Back through the microfilm he went, to what you might call *Times* out of mind. There, under date of September 17, 1894, he found the account of what was, apparently, the first night racing in the East. Excerpts are here presented, with the relish which sauces material diverted from someone else's work.

Under the Guise of Racing

A Night Gambling Plant Established at Maspeth

Workingmen and clerks the victims and students in a school for the creation of gamblers—The racing is a complete farce, and petty gambling the only excuse for "racing" by electric light.

"If there is no law that will put a stop to the racing by electric light, at Maspeth in the outskirts of Brooklyn, the Jockey Club should do everything in their power . . . to make racing at night illegal . . . .

"It was on last Tuesday that this shadow-dance racing was introduced to the people of this vicinity, though a similar bunko game has been in operation somewhere on the outskirts of St. Louis for a couple of years . . . .

"The racegoers looked like workmen from various factories in the neighborhood, laborers of various classes, and clerks whose labors will not allow them to go to the race tracks during the afternoon. These latter are the class of people who cannot afford to go to a race track of any kind at any time, and run the risk of losing the small amounts they earn, and which they should give to their families for their use and support.

"They are such people as the sharks of the city poolrooms have always depended on as the game from which they wring their dollars . . . .

"The betting ring is, of course, the feature of the track. The grandstand is a small, double-decked affair, lighted with a few electric lights and a large number of ill-smelling kerosene lamps. This is occupied by female gamblers almost exclusively."

For "female gamblers" the reporter for the *Times* might have used a shorter, single word. It was evidently in his mind. It is perfectly obvious that night racing 55 years ago drew the same sort of audience it would draw again, except that gangsterism has been vastly improved in the meanwhile.

It was Santayana, I think, who remarked that people who cannot remember history are condemned to repeat it. In most racing states, for many years, there has been a definite legal prohibition of night racing, which could not have been inserted but for one reason—even state legislators could see that night racing would draw a vast array of cheap and high-priced crooks, prostitutes (the adjectives qualifying both), hustlers, thugs, and professional gamblers, plus a crowd composed largely of lower-income groups.

It will be objected that night trotting has proved feasible and, as far as I know, is not remarkably subject to such a description. But trotting, when it went under the lights, didn't have three dollars to its name, and it had almost no regular following except those who were professionally interested. It was the lack of a following, in fact, which sent trotting into the night. Trotting has been big money only for a few years. Racing, on the other hand, has had its army of parasites for many years, and it would get off under lights with a ready-made underworld.

It is, of course, nothing but financial nymphomania on the part of a state government that would permit night racing. As matters stand, Illinois has taken the lead. Racing's best hope, perhaps, is that a night track will go into immediate operation in Illinois and that it will

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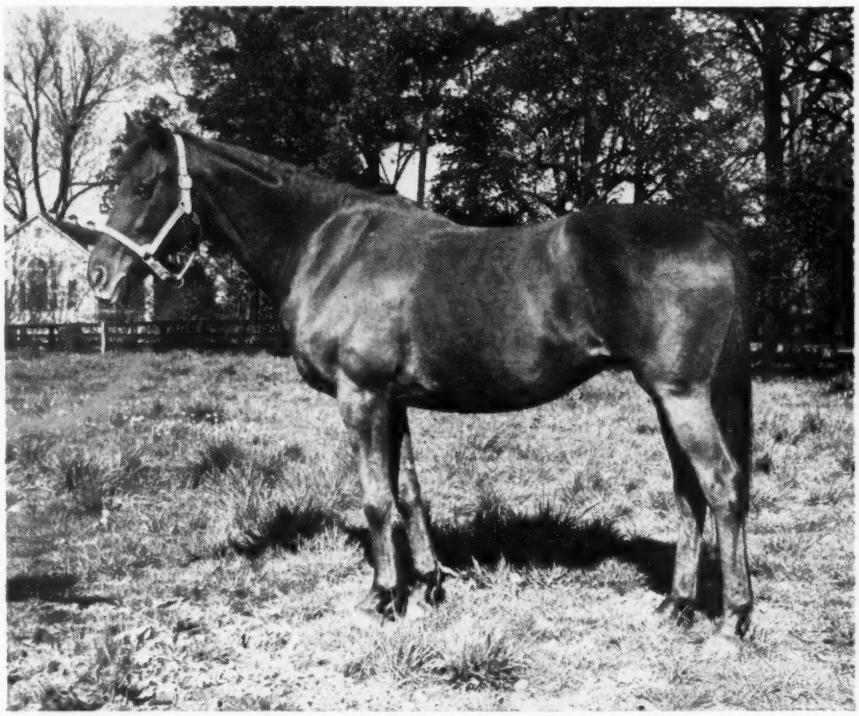

J. A. GOODWIN'S MINSTRELETTE is the dam of Ky. Colonel, which recently set a world record for seven furlongs in the Sheridan Handicap, and of the stakes winner Jack's Jill and other winners. She now is 16 years old.

KY. COLONEL added $17,950 to his earnings and subtracted two-fifths of a second from the world's record for seven furlongs when he defeated Olympia, De Luxe, and Johns Joy in the Sheridan Handicap. Ky. Colonel's time was 1:21 2/5. He is owned by J. A. Goodwin, trained by John M. Goode, and was ridden by Jess Higley.

STAKES & HORSES

Olympia's First Five Furlongs; Striking's Schuylerville Win

At Washington Park, Saratoga, and Monmouth Park, the racing of August 10 was removed from the commonplace by events of unusual interest. At the Illinois track J. A. Goodwin's Ky. Colonel set a new world record of 1:21⅖ for seven furlongs. In New York, Ogden Phipps' Striking, a sister to the high class Busher and Mr. Busher, won the Schuylerville Stakes. And in New Jersey, Mrs. E. L. Hopkins' Three Rings set a track record of 1:50 for nine furlongs.

Olympia cannot possibly be regarded as a failure—seven stakes wins, five other stakes placings, and earnings in excess of $233,000 this year are not the marks of mediocrity—yet he has been luckless on important occasions because of his extreme speed. His fast early pace in the Kentucky Derby was his undoing, as it was later in the Jersey Stakes. And in Washington Park's Sheridan Handicap he used himself up in the most brilliant speed display of his career.

Fast out of the gate, he was clocked in :10⅗, :21⅗, :32⅕, :43⅕, and :56, for the first four eighths. This was faster than Atoka's world record for three furlongs (:33½), Tie Score's world mark for four furlongs (:45⅖), and Pan Zareta's world record for five furlongs (:57⅕), all of which were made with less weight up than Olympia carried.

But at this point Olympia had run himself out of first money. Ky. Colonel took the lead, flashed past the furlong pole in 1:08⅖, which equaled *Fair Truckle's world record. From here a final eighth in 13 seconds was good enough to carry Ky. Colonel to victory by 2¼ lengths over Olympia, which was 1½ lengths in front of De Luxe. Lextown, which had hung onto Olympia in the early furlongs, finished last. The race had other aspects, too: Ocean Drive bumped De Luxe at the start, and the Calumet entry was forced into Black Wing, running mate of Ky. Colonel. Johns Joy ran into trouble when Ky. Colonel came in on him.

STRIKING. The Schuylerville Stakes winner does not greatly resemble Busher and Mr. Busher, her older brother and sister, in appearance, but she runs in the best tradition of the family. The Saratoga race was her most ambitious assignment, since it pitted her against High Frequency, winner of the Powder Puff, Lads and Lassies, and Champion Stakes; Bed o' Roses, winner of the Rancocas and Colleen Stakes and the filly division of the National Stallion Stakes; Rare Perfume, the Fashion Stakes winner; and Miss Stephanie, winner of the Miss America Stakes.

Standing along the roped walkway leading from the Saratoga saddling area to the track, Sylvester Veitch, trainer of the C. V. Whitney horses, glanced at Striking and Eddie Arcaro, her rider, and remarked: "It's hard to beat a top horse and a top jockey."

This was demonstrated an instant after the starting gates opened—Arcaro had Striking into a clear lead at once, and had no trouble holding the advantage to the end. At the finish she was 2½ lengths in front of Sunday Evening and three lengths ahead of Nazma. It was her third win in four starts, gave her dam (Baby League) three stakes winners and five winners from seven foals old enough to race.

Trainer James Fitzsimmons, highly pleased at Striking's success, wagged his head after the race. "She's all business," he chuckled.

THREE RINGS. Racing in the best form of his career, Three Rings so far this season has accounted for the Royal Palm, Queens County, Monmouth, and Omnibus Handicaps. In addition, he was third in the Gallant Fox Handicap.

He set his track record for nine furlongs (1:50) in Monmouth Park's Omnibus the hard way: he had to fight off challenges from Dart By, Chains, and Pilaster, to each of which he was giving weight. He met the occasion, won by 1½ lengths. Pilaster, which probably wants more distance, was second. Chains third. Three Rings' time was two-fifths faster than Flash Burn's record, made last year.

ROUNDUP. Big attraction at Washington Park on August 16 was the six-furlong Washington Park Futurity, which carries a purse calculated to bring out the best 2-year-olds of the Midwest. Eleven of them showed up for the tenth running of the event. The winner was Curtice, a Roman colt out of Stage Sister, an unraced

sister to Stagehand and Sceneshifter. He lay close to Wisconsin Boy and Re-Armed as they alternated in the lead, and when they were finished, he took over. His margin was three-fourths of a length over Re-Armed, with Wisconsin Boy third, half a length behind Armed's brother.

Despite a very acceptable record which includes seconds in the Bashford Manor, Joliet, and George Woolf Memorial Stakes, Curtice went into the Futurity a maiden. He came out winner, with $57,850 to add to his earnings. He had cost $13,700 last year as a Keeneland Summer Sales yearling. Mrs. Emil Denemark bought him, and still owns him. Wisconsin Boy, a $6,500 yearling, came from the same Elmendorf consignment.

At Detroit, the feature of August 16 was the Governor's Lady Handicap, at 1⅛ miles. Dr. Eslie Asbury's Brownian, a 5-year-old *Sickle mare, was far out of it for seven furlongs, was very much in it at the finish. She won by a nose over Pella. Evanstep was third.

The Brookmeade Stable's More Sun, already winner of the Graduation Stakes and the United States Hotel Stakes, added the Saratoga Special to his credit on August 16. He won by 1½ lengths over Suleiman, with Navy Chief third. The Travers Stakes, co-feature of the Saratoga program, went to the Addison Stable's Arise, which was winning the first stakes of his career. Daiquari was second. Sun Bahram third. Capot and Shackleton were scratched.

Biggest race of the day, in the East, was Suffolk Downs' Massachusetts Handicap, at $50,000 added. It seemed likely to go to Assault, the 2-to-5 favorite. But the King Ranch 6-year-old bled, faltered, and came in fourth. Winner was the Cherry Oca Stable's First Nighter, victor by a neck over Going Away. *Michigan 3rd was third. Assault fourth. At first it was announced that Assault was through with racing, but Trainer Max Hirsch stated a day or two later that the bleeding was not as serious as it had seemed at first, and Assault might race again.

Ky. Colonel's World Record

SHERIDAN HANDICAP, Washington Park, August 10, $25,000 added, 3-year-olds, seven furlongs. Time 1:21⅘ (new world record), track fast. Stakes division, $17,950, $5,000, $2,500, $1,250.

Ky. Colonel, 116 (J. A. Goodwin) 1
Olympia, 122, c., *Heliopolis—Miss Dolphin, by Stimulus (F. W. Hooper) 2
De Luxe, 110, c., Bull Lea—Nellie L., by *Blenheim 2nd (Calumet Farm) 3
Others, Johns Joy 120, Black Wing 112, Ocean Drive 120, Lextown 115. J. A. Goodwin entry, Ky. Colonel and Black Wing; F. W. Hooper entry, Olympia and Ocean Drive. Winning jockey, Jess Higley.

Ky. Colonel was foaled February 16, 1946, at J. A. Goodwin's Patchen Wilkes Farm, on the Winchester pike just outside Lexington. Last year he won four races from ten starts, including the Bashford Manor Stakes, at Churchill Downs, and a dead heat with Olympia in the Joliet Stakes at Lincoln Fields-at-Washington Park. In the Joliet a track record of :58⅕ for five furlongs was set. Olympia carried 125 pounds, Ky. Colonel 122.

The Sheridan was Ky. Colonel's third win from six starts this year. It was a roughly run race—De Luxe, Johns Joy, and Black Wing met interference at one stage or another, and Ocean Drive lost opportunity when the ground broke under him as he left the gate.

Olympia set up the new world record with furlongs in :10⅘, :21⅘, :32⅕, :43⅘, and :56. Ky. Colonel then took over and was clocked for the six furlongs in 1:08⅘, equaling *Fair Truckle's world record. The Balladier colt ran the final furlong in :13, rounding out the seven furlongs in 1:21⅘. This was two-fifths faster than the previous world record of 1:21⅘, shared by Honeymoon, 4, 114, and Buzfuz, 5, 120. Ky. Colonel finished with a 2¼-length lead over Olympia, which was 1½ lengths in front of De Luxe.

The Sheridan winner is Mr. Goodwin's second stakes winner from the blind Minstrelette, which also is the dam of the stakes winner Jack's Jill. There is a yearling full sister to Ky. Colonel at the Goodwin farm. Minstrelette was barren this year to Alsab, and was bred back to the same stallion this spring. Prior to winning the Sheridan, Ky. Colonel had been third to Lextown and Saint Nicholas in the nine-furlong Peabody Memorial Handicap. Other stakes winners for Balladier this year are Balladette, Papa Redbird, and Double Jay. The stallion stands at the Goodwin Farm.

KY. COLONEL, ch. c., 1946

Black Toney	Peter Pan	Commando
		*Cinderella
	Belgravia	Ben Brush
		*Bonnie Gal
BALLADIER blk. 1932	*North Star 3rd	Sunstar
		Angelic
Blue Warbler	*May Bird	Thrush
		May Bruce
*Royal Minstrel	Tetratema	The Tetrarch
		Scotch Gift
MINSTRELETTE ch. 1933	Harpsichord	Louvois
		*Golden Harp
Bannerette	Pennant	Peter Pan
		*Royal Rose
	Meetme	Tracery
		Matinee

J. A. Goodwin, breeder and owner; John M. Goode, trainer. Family No. 4.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	10	4	1	0	$20,312
3	6	3	0	1	26,000
Totals	16	7	1	1	$46,312

MINSTRELETTE, 6 wins at 2, 4, 5 named foals—
LILTING SONG (Caruso). Unraced.
ALATOMO (Caruso). 8 wins, 2 through 6.
JACK'S JILL (Jack High). 17 wins, 2 through 6. Falls City H., Hawthorne Gold Cup, Hawthorne Autumn H., Hawthorne Inaugural H., Falls City H. 2nd Jeanne d'Arc S., Modesty S., Arlington Matron H., Beverly H., Hawthorne Autumn H., Falls City H. (twice). 3rd James H. Connors Memorial S., Keeneland Special S., Beverly H.
BALLA'S GIRL (Balladier). 8 wins at 2, 3, 5. 2nd Hawthorne Juvenile H.
KY. COLONEL (Balladier). Stakes, above.

BANNERETTE, 6 wins at 2, 3, 8 named foals—
PHARENOUGH (*Pharamond 2nd). 6 wins at 2, 3. Producer.
MINSTRELETTE (*Royal Minstrel). Above.
LITTLE BANNER (On Watch). 26 wins, 3 through 8.
TROVADORA (*Royal Minstrel). 1 win at 2.
BAYPORT (The Porter). 14 wins, 2 through 7.
BANTHORN (Firethorn). Unraced.
SUN BANNER (Sun Teddy). 1 win at 3.
MARKIGHT (Ladysman). 2 wins at 2.

MEETME. Unraced. 8 foals—
BYE AND BYE (*Chicle). 9 wins at 2 and 4 through 10.
BANNERETTE (Pennant). Above.
WELL MET (Peter Pan). Unraced.
ANGKOR (Peter Pan). 1 win at 3.
TONY'S WIFE (Whichone). 4 wins at 2. 2nd Adirondack H. 3rd Spinaway S. Dam of Foreign Policy.
NOW THEN (*Dis Donc). 6 wins at 2, 3, 4. Christiana S.
WHERE AND WHEN (Whichone). Placed at 2, 3. Producer.
CRANDON BOY (Broadside). Unplaced at 3.

New Track Record

OMNIBUS HANDICAP, Monmouth Park, August 10, 15,000 added, 3-year-olds and upward, 1⅛ miles. Time 1:50 (new track record), track fast. Stakes division, $12,250, $3,000, $1,500, $1,000.

Three Rings, 117, g., 4, Blue Larkspur—Circus Ring, by *Bull Dog (Mrs. E. L. Hopkins) 1
Pilaster, 114, g., 5, Pilate—Air Cooled, by *Jacopo (H. L. Straus) 2
Chains, 113, g., 4, Firethorn—Handcuff, by Whichone (Brookmeade Stable) 3
Others, Papa Redbird 117, Dart By 108. Brookmeade Stable entry, Chains and Dart By. Winner: John S. Phipps, breeder; W. Knapp, trainer; Hedley Woodhouse, jockey.

THREE RING'S RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	0	0	0	0	------
3	22	7	2	2	$ 28,390
4	17	7	2	3	79,450
Totals	39	14	4	5	$107,840

Three Rings had won the Royal Palm, Queens County, and Monmouth Handicaps this year before taking the Omnibus Handicap. He also had been third to Coaltown and Vulcan's Forge in the Gallant Fox Handicap. His time of 1:50 was two-fifths faster than Flash Burn's former record.

The win brought his earnings to $107,840, and made him the first $100,000 winner for his breeder, John S. Phipps. Blue Larkspur, sire of Three Rings, also has sired the $100,000 winners Elpis, But Why Not, Boysy, and Say Blue.

For the pedigree and family particulars of Three Rings see The Blood-Horse of February 5, page 373.

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COVER UP TO RETIRE

Cover Up, winner of the Bing Crosby Handicap recently, will be retired to stud after the Del Mar meeting, it was annuonced by Zack T. Addington, his owner. Cover Up, 6-year-old chestnut horse by *Alibhai—*Bel Amour 3rd, by *Beau Pere, did his best week's work as a 4-year-old, when he won the $100,000 Hollywood Gold Cup and the $50,000 Sunset Handicap on successive Saturdays.

AUSTRALIA, by Gwyn Jones

Helios Leading The Sire List

With one week-end to go to complete the current racing season, the imported horse Helios, by Hyperion from the American-bred Foxy Gal, is the leading Australian sire. His get have won the record sum of £70,247, placing him almost £27,000 ahead of his nearest rival, Midstream, the sire of *Shannon 2nd.

HELIOS	Hyperion	Gainsborough	Bayardo
			Rosedrop
		Selene	Chaucer
			Serenissima
b. or br. 1937	Foxy Gal	*Sir Gallahad 3d	*Teddy
			Plucky Liege
		*Filante	Sardanapale
			High Flyer

The previous record for an Australian sire in a single racing season was in 1925-1926, when Valais, sire of Heroic (sire of *Ajax), was at the top with slightly more than £56,000 to his credit. To make the figures of Helios all the more astonishing, the eldest of his stock is only four years old.

Helios had 28 winners of 73 races. His outstanding representative, of course, was Carbon Copy (Helios—Havers), which will be four years old on August 1.

Carbon Copy has been given 133 pounds in the Melbourne Cup to be run on November 1, at Flemington, and is the favorite for our greatest race. During the season, he earned the sum of £28,396, an all-time record for a 3-year-old in this country and New Zealand as well. Carbon Copy has done well during his winter spell, and is in work again to begin his long preparation for the Melbourne Cup. If he is fit and well on the day, he will start favorite and probably win, despite his big weight.

In addition to Carbon Copy, other notable winners of the season for Helios included Phoibos (out of Spanish Star), Beau Gem (French Gem), Heliofly (Air Queen), Cellarman (Betheen), Ailsa (Air Song), Derrymore (La Diosa), and Anthelion (Yetna).

Heliofly's part-owner died recently and Heliofly is to be offered for sale in Melbourne, on September 2. He is a type that might appeal to some owner or trainer in the States. I reckon he will bring between 2,000 and 2,500 guineas.

Helios is owned by Mr. E. A. Underwood who also owns Dhoti, (Dastur—Trucky Aunt), which has been at the top of the sire list. He is third this season with more than £43,000. Helios and Dhoti are at the Warlaby Park Stud, about 12 miles from Melbourne. Their new mate for the forthcoming breeding season is Masthead, by Blue Peter, purchased at Melbourne for something like £12,000.

Law Maker, by Phalaris—Book Law, died recently at the Kismet Park Stud of Mr. Leslie Aldridge, who has been a leading studmaster in Australia for 40 years. Book Law is fourth on the list. His high ranking is because of the brilliant performance of his 3-year-old Ungar (from Vienniese), which recently won the Doomben £10,000, richest sprint race in this country.

Four of the first five sires belong to Victorian studs. Midstream is located at the famous Kia-Ora Stud in the lush Hunter River Valley country of New South Wales.

Le Grand Duc (by *Blenheim 2nd—La Douairiere) is at Kia-Ora also, and he had another excellent year with more than £27,000 as his score on the board.

Ajax (Heroic—Medmenham) is now in California, and his new owner, Mr. C. S Howard, will be pleased to know that the stock he left in his homeland won more than £23,000 in stakes money.

Leading sires of the 1948-1949 season in Australia are:

	Winners	*Races*	*Stakes*
HELIOS, Hyperion	28	73	£70,427
MIDSTREAM, Blandford	22	47	43,777
DHOTI, Dastur	56	86	43,428
LAW MAKER (died), Phalaris	27	57	32,690
ENFIELD, Winalot	23	34	29,631
LE GRAND DUC, *Blenheim 2nd	26	41	27,775
MR. STANDFAST (died), Bachan	38	66[1]	26,007
HUA, Heroic	19	35	25,776
POWERSCOURT, The Night Patrol	16	42	25,182
BRUEGHEL, Pharos	34	71	23,724
AGINCOURT, Bosworth	25	50[1]	23,252
AJAX, Heroic	21	34[1]	23,170
DOUBLE REMOVE, Felstead	21	50	22,436
HELLESPONT, Pharos	34	59	21,982
NIZAMI (died), Firdaussi	19	27	20,721

U. S. TO ENGLAND TO N. Z.

First horse of "American" breeding to be sold for stud duty in the southern hemisphere since the English rescission of the "Jersey Act" is Robert Sterling Clark's Whistling Wind, 6-year-old son of Discovery—*Sunset 2nd, by Solario, second dam Cinna, the dam of *Beau Pere.

Whistling Wind was sent to England as a yearling, like many others of Mr. Clark's breeding, and for four seasons under the training of Harry Peacock has been one of the best handicap horses in the north of England, at distances around a mile. He has won 10 races and carried up to 133 pounds in his victories.

THE LEADERS

	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Amount
Stymie, 1941	126	35	32	26	$911,335
Citation, 1945	29	27	2	0	865,150
Armed, 1941	73	39	17	9	797,445
Assault, 1943	36	17	6	5	670,520
Whirlaway, 1939	60	32	15	9	561,161
On Trust, 141	61	18	15	10	497,920
†Gallorette, 1942	72	21	20	13	445,535
Seabiscuit, 1933	89	33	15	13	437,730
Phalanx, 1944	40	12	7	10	407,935
First Fiddle, 1939	95	23	24	20	398,610
Sun Beau, 1925	74	33	12	10	376,744
Pavot, 1942	32	14	6	2	373,365
†*Honeymoon*, 1943	54	18	7	5	367,625
Alsab, 1939	51	25	11	5	350,015
Equipoise, 1928	51	29	10	4	338,610
Challedon, 1936	44	20	7	6	334,660
†Busher, 1942	21	15	3	1	334,035
Fervent, 1944	30	16	7	3	329,685
Gallant Fox, 1927	17	11	3	2	328,165
Coaltown, 1945	24	18	4	2	320,575
Shut Out, 1939	40	16	6	4	317,507
†*Bewitch*, 1945	25	14	4	4	316,925
Faultless, 1944	43	13	6	6	313,925
Polynesian, 1942	58	27	10	10	310,410
Olympia, 1946	28	11	10	2	310,082
Vulcan's Forge, 1945	36	9	8	3	309,390
Zev, 1920	43	23	8	5	303,039
Mate, 1928	78	20	14	19	301,810
Double Jay, 1944	46	17	9	9	299,355
Rippey, 1943	64	16	14	10	295,115
Better Self, 1945	35	13	6	4	291,800
Lucky Draw, 1941	36	16	6	4	287,790
Solidarity, 1945	42	9	15	9	286,135
With Pleasure, 1943	52	15	15	5	280,560
Capot, 1946	21	8	4	5	279,285
†Top Flight, 1929	16	12	0	0	275,900
†*But Why Not*, 1944	32	11	6	2	275,755
My Request, 1945	30	17	2	5	274,980
Donor, 1944	45	16	7	4	274,585
War Admiral, 1934	26	21	3	1	273,240
Blue Larkspur, 1926	16	10	3	1	272,070
*Talon, 1942	21	7	6	4	270,575
Autocrat, 1941	110	16	23	24	264,002
Buzfuz, 1942	104	29	27	15	263,310
Twenty Grand, 1928	25	14	4	3	261,790
Devil Diver, 1939	47	22	12	3	261,064
Ace Admiral, 1945	38	12	6	5	258,125
Display, 1923	103	23	25	27	256,326
*Olhaverry, 1939	40	7	2	5	254,880
Victorian, 1925	39	18	9	1	253,425

Racing through August 13 included.

†Filly. Italic type indicates horses whose racing careers are not yet finished.

Note: *Phar Lap is omitted from this list as he won most of his total in Australia. One of the horses listed above raced in England after racing in America, and his English records, accounting for first, second and third monies, is included, with the sovereign estimated at $5. The English records of this horse:

Horse (Age)	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Amount
Twenty Grand (7)	2	0	0	0	——

The total given for *Olhaverry is for U. S. racing. In Chile he won 13 races and 370,650 pesos ($14,826). In Argentina *Talon won 6 races and 74,000 pesos ($17,784).

Average-Earnings Index of Sires in 1948: Continued

The seventh installment of the alphabetical list showing the average-earnings index of sires in 1948 is given below. The method of calculation has been explained in previous issues.

In brief, the index shows proportion of success to opportunity. In 1948 the average earnings for all horses raced in North America was $2,689. The index reveals the proportion of each sire's earnings per starter to this over-all average. An index of 1.000 indicates earnings of $2,689 per starter; .500 indicates half this amount; 2.000 indicates twice the general average, etc.

Sire, year foaled	Starters	Wnrs.	Earnings	Adjustment	Index
Scatter, 1925 (Jam.)	1	1	6,075	2.259	2.259
Scattercash, 1928 (Eng.)	1	0	150	.056	.056
Scenesh'fter, 1934	19	10	51,355	19.098	1.005
Schley Buck, 1935	1	0	75	.028	.028
Scooter Lad, 1940	1	0	380	.141	.141
Scotch Broom, 1920	1	0	------	----	.000
Scotch Broth, 1939	1	0			.000
Scot Free, 1927	2	1	662	.246	.123
Scot's Guard, 1935	2	2	2,050	.762	.381
Scout Master, 1929	7	3	6,027	2.241	.320
Seabiscuit, 1933	30	20	107,102	39.830	1.328
Sea Captain, 1936	3	3	11,765	4.375	1.458
Sea Cliff, 1931	1	1	1,200	.446	.446
Sealeggy, 1939	3	0	212	.079	.026
Sea Marriage, 1940	2	1	1,100	.409	.205
Sea Trance, 1931	1	0			.000
Secret Agent, 1929	5	1	1,550	.576	.115
Secret Greetings, 1918	1	0			.000
Selalheda, 1938	19	11	72,420	26.932	1.417
Selim Hassan, 1938 (S. A.)	1	0	775	.288	.288
Sengaris, 1931	1	0	828	.308	.308
*Serajevo, 1925	11	4	8,110	3.016	.274
Sgt. Byrne, 1931	2	1	2,620	.974	.487
Sergt. Donaldson, 1928	6	3	5,003	1.861	.310
Sergeant Joyce, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Sergt. Roll, 1940	1	0	------	----	.000
Serio, 1921 (S. A.)	1	0	------	----	.000
Seth's Pride, 1928	3	3	3,270	1.216	.405
Seth's Rival, 1927	4	3	1,250	.465	.116
Shadows Pass, 1936	1	0	------	----	.000
Shady George, 1941	1	0	------	----	.000
Shantytown, 1937	7	5	16,415	6.104	.872
Sharp Mack, 1917	1	0	------	----	.000
Shasta Buck, 1925	1	1	525	.195	.195
Shasta Pebble, 1926	28	17	38,282	14.237	.508
Shell Fire, 1939	7	3	8,032	2.987	.427
*Sherab, 1928	16	6	15,120	5.623	.351
Sheriff Culkin, 1938	3	1	7,700	2.864	.955
*Shifting Sands 2nd, 1935	44	25	115,500	42.953	.976
Shining One, 1936	2	1	895	.333	.167
Ship Biscuit, 1937	1	0	90	.033	.033
Shoeless Joe, 1932	27	13	43,460	16.162	.599
Shoot Foot, 1929	1	1	1,650	.614	.614
Showindo, 1938	1	0	17	.006	.006
Shut Out, 1939	11	6	55,720	20.721	1.884
Siam, 1934	2	0	50	.019	.010
*Sickle, 1924	30	16	80,150	29.807	.994
Sickle's Man, 1938	3	0	75	.028	.009
Sidney Carton, 1936	1	1	825	.307	.307
Sidney Grant, 1927	3	0	40	.015	.005
Sierra Blanca, 1938	1	0	------	----	.000
*Sierra Nevada, 1936	35	23	105,795	39.344	1.124
*Siete Colores, 1934	8	5	23,515	8.745	1.093
Signature, 1933 (S. A.)	1	1	11,525	4.286	4.286
Silent Judge, 1930	1	1	1,030	.383	.383
Silent Messenger, 1924	1	0	150	.056	.056
Silk-Air, 1938	4	1	1,975	.734	.184
Silurian, 1919 (S. A.)	1	0	180	.067	.067
Silver Cord, 1927	26	15	28,859	10.732	.413
Silverdale, 1926	37	29	58,254	21.664	.586
Silver Doctor, 1926	1	1	1,234	.459	.459
Silver Fleece, 1933	2	1	3,003	1.117	.559
Silver Horde, 1935	32	23	111,050	41.298	1.291
Silver Static, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Silverstead, 1924 (Eng.)	1	0	50	.019	.019
*Simony, 1923	1	1	128	.048	.048
Sincora, 1928 (S. A.)	1	0	130	.048	.048
Sind, 1933 (S. A.)	1	1	4,130	1.536	1.536
Singapore, 1927 (Eng.)	2	2	17,445	6.488	3.244
Singing Wood, 1931	14	6	26,608	9.895	.707
Single Fire, 1930	1	1	1,630	.606	.606
Sing Sing, 1932	12	10	20,069	7.463	.622
Sir Ally, 1935	1	0	130	.048	.048
Sir Andrew, 1928	29	10	39,250	14.597	.503
Sirasia, 1936	32	18	58,719	21.837	.682
Sir Blenheim, 1938	3	1	760	.283	.094
Sir Bud, 1936	1	0	------	----	.000
Sir Cosmo, 1926 (Eng.)	1	1	525	.195	.195
Sir Damion, 1934	48	27	184,962	68.785	1.433
Sirdar, 1925	2	1	2,695	1.002	.501
Sir Emerson, 1933	2	1	675	.251	.126
*Sir Gallahad 3rd, 1920	54	30	208,820	77.657	1.438
Sir Gordon, 1934	3	2	2,245	.835	.278
Sir Herade, 1936	2	2	780	.290	.145
Sir Herbert Barker, 1931	7	2	4,065	1.512	.216
Sir Herbert Jr., 1940	1	0	205	.076	.076
Sir James, 1927	10	5	8,581	3.191	.319
Sir Jeffrey, 1937	5	3	9,965	3.706	.741
Sir Jim James, 1933	9	3	10,185	3.788	.421
Sir Kai, 1931	4	1	1,510	.562	.141
Sir Keno, 1938	2	0	75	.028	.014
Sir Lancelot, 1937	13	8	61,195	22.758	1.751
Sir Lanny, 1924	6	1	1,555	.578	.096
Sir Marlboro, 1936	10	6	22,465	8.354	.835
Sir Midas, 1934	1	0	150	.056	.056
Sir Mill, 1937	7	5	16,695	6.209	.387
Sir Norman, 1933	4	2	2,165	.805	.201
Sir Oracle, 1934	3	0	2,600	.967	.322
Sir Ronald, 1922	5	4	3,978	1.479	.299
Sir Sarada, 1940	1	0	------	----	.000
Sir Tristram, 1931	4	2	6,355	2.363	.591
Sir Walter, 1929	18	4	15,400	5.727	.318
Sir Walter Raleigh, 1928 (Eng.)	2	1	5,175	1.925	.963
Sir West, 1931	2	1	1,044	.388	.194
Skating Mad, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
*Skeabost, 1930	2	1	941	.350	.175
Skip It, 1932	1	1	1,550	.576	.576
Skirting Eagle, 1935	5	3	6,429	2.391	.478
Skull Valley, 1934	2	0	195	.073	.037
Sky Alarm, 1934	2	1	1,114	.414	.207
Sky Ball, 1936	1	1	5,625	2.092	2.092
Skymore, 1930	5	2	2,290	.852	.170
Sky Raider, 1938	48	31	174,870	65.032	1.355
Slave Ship, 1929	26	14	62,033	23.069	.887
Sleiveconard, 1919	1	0	25	.009	.009
Sleiveconard, Jr., 1928	2	0	------	----	.000
*Slieve Roi, 1921	1	0	------	----	.000
Slipalong, 1918	1	1	650	.241	.241
Smithsonian, 1939	2	1	1,949	.725	.363
Snap Clock, 1936	2	1	2,790	1.038	.519
Snaplock, 1930	7	4	20,245	7.529	1.076
Snark, 1933	27	9	152,163	56.587	2.096
Snarler, 1938	3	1	1,615	.601	.200
Snorky, 1930	4	2	2,059	.766	.192
Snowfall, 1934 (S. A.)	2	1	5,306	1.973	.987
Snow King, 1929	5	4	9,587	3.565	.713
Sober Sandy, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Sod House, 1938	1	1	477	.177	.177
*Soleil du Midi, 1932	23	18	89,980	33.462	1.455
Sol Oriens, 1938 (Eng.)	2	2	22,395	8.328	4.164
Somebody, 1931	4	2	1,750	.651	.163
Some Chance, 1939	12	3	32,495	12.084	1.007
Some Good, 1931	8	2	1,094	.407	.051
Somers Heir, 1924	10	4	4,885	1.817	.182
Some Smile, 1937	2	0	------	----	.000
*Son, 1925	3	2	2,598	.966	.322
Son Bludgeon, 1937	2	1	480	.179	.090
Song Hit, 1929	2	1	305	.113	.057
Son o' Battle, 1924	11	7	9,572	3.560	.324
*Soon Over, 1931	53	32	113,477	42.200	.796
Sortie, 1925	13	8	34,680	12.897	.992
Sortie's Son, 1935	16	6	18,834	7.004	.438

Sire, year foaled	Starters	Wnrs.	Earnings	Adjustment	Index
Sortie Star, 1935	3	0	277	.103	.034
Southern Jim, 1941	1	0	------	----	.000
Southern Way, 1933	2	2	3,565	1.326	.663
Spanish Ghost, 1942	2	0	150	.056	.028
Spanish Jean, 1936	1	0	------	----	.000
Spanish Main, 1937	5	4	9,852	3.664	.733
Spanish Play, 1928	33	21	79,221	29.461	.898
Spare Moment, 1933	1	0	------	----	.000
Sparus, 1922 (S. A.)	1	0	1,025	.381	.381
Spearhead, 1927	3	0	41	.015	.005
Special Agent, 1932	24	17	93,540	34.786	1.449
Speechmaker, 1939	3	0	100	.037	.012
Speed Away, 1938	1	0	------	----	.000
Speed Master, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Spic and Span, 1921	3	2	2,635	.980	.327
Sports Writer, 1936	4	1	6,370	2.369	.092
Squadron Castle, 1933 (Eng.)	1	1	3,500	1.302	1.302
Stagehand, 1935	57	24	136,512	50.767	.891
Stalking, 1937	3	1	890	.331	.110
Stand Pat, 1931	44	29	76,722	28.532	.648
Star Beacon, 1939	9	2	8,365	3.111	.346
Star Cudgel, 1921	1	0	------	----	.000
Stardust, 1937 (Eng.)	1	1	4,000	1.488	1.488
Star Flash, 1930	3	1	1,350	.502	.167
Star Hunter, 1937	1	0	200	.074	.074
Stark, 1934 (S. A.)	1	1	3,525	1.311	1.311
Starpatic, 1927	11	5	12,393	4.609	.419
Stars and Bars, 1926	7	5	8,215	3.055	.436
Steel Heels, 1936	2	2	8,580	3.191	1.596
Steel-Point, 1923 (Eng.)	3	1	2,325	.865	.288
Stepenfetchit, 1929	14	6	40,270	14.976	1.070
Stepinoff, 1937	2	0	------	----	.000
Stickhandle, 1932	2	1	1,375	.512	.256
Stick To, 1929	6	4	22,835	8.492	1.415
Stimulus, 1922	40	22	125,565	46.696	1.167
Sting, 1921	17	7	19,120	7.111	.418
Stockwell, 1916	1	1	2,031	.755	.755
Stop Clock, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Storm, 1927	3	2	1,697	.631	.210
Storm d'Or, 1940	1	1	1,860	.692	.692
Storminess, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Stormscud, 1935	8	3	3,545	1.318	.165
Strabo, 1934	10	4	18,915	7.034	.703
*Stratford Rock, 1925	1	1	2,190	.814	.814
*Strolling Player, 1925	62	30	214,927	79.928	1.289
Sturdy Duke, 1935	1	0	------	----	.000
Stylish Mack, 1926	1	1	1,025	.381	.381
Suffern, 1935	6	3	12,780	4.753	.792
Sugar Ration, 1940	1	0	------	----	.000
Suitor, 1926	9	0	720	.268	.030
Sumair, 1927	2	2	4,045	1.504	.752
Sunador, 1931	15	5	19,970	7.427	.495
Sun Again, 1939	14	8	100,985	37.555	2.683
Sun Beau, 1925	36	26	129,285	48.079	1.336
Sunbow, 1920	1	0	------	----	.000

SUCCESSFUL SIRES OF RECENT YEARS

In THE BLOOD-HORSE of July 2 was published a list of sires whose over-all records since 1940 have shown earnings at least 1.2 times the average expectancy. Later calculations have added a few other names to the list. In addition to the new names, *Bull Dog is included here because he was inadvertently omitted, and *Easton and The Porter because of slight errors in the previously published figures.

In the following list, the figure immediately after the name of the sire indicates the number of years his get have raced, through 1948. A dagger (†) after this figure indicates that the sire had offspring racing before 1940 and that the earlier portion of his record is not accounted for here.

Sire, years represented	*Index*	*Sire, years represented*	*Index*
*Alcazar, 9†	1.451	*Hypnotist 2nd, 4	1.202
*Bel Aethel, 6	1.235	*Isolater, 5	1.488
Brevity, 9	1.343	*Knight's Caprice, 4	1.229
*Bull Dog, 9†	2.467	Messenger, 9†	1.357
Burgoo King, 9†	1.240	*Easton, 9	1.465
Canaan, 9†	1.529	The Porter, 9†	1.737
*Gino, 9†	1.486		

Sire, year foaled	Starters	Wnrs.	Earnings	Adjustment	Index
*Sun Briar, 1915	11	6	25,600	9.520	.865
Sun Capture, 1934	2	1	990	.368	.184
Sun Circle, 1922	3	2	3,450	1.283	428
Sun Craig, 1927	12	9	11,587	4.309	.359
Sunday B., 1928	1	1	575	.214	.214
Sundot, 1928	5	1	2,015	.749	.150
Sun Edwin, 1925	7	3	6,665	2.479	.354
Sun Egret, 1935	7	2	15,385	5.721	.817
Sunfast, 1926	1	1	735	.273	.273
Sunfire, 1925	1	0	287	.107	.107
Sun Flag, 1921	7	3	4,806	1.787	.255
Sun Hatter, 1926	32	16	44,507	16.552	.517
Sun Inplay, 1935	4	1	660	.245	.061
Sun Lad, 1926	1	0	125	.046	.046
Sun Meadow, 1928	11	6	20,710	7.702	.700
Sunmelus, 1929	2	2	5,636	2.096	1.048
Sun Mission, 1926	1	0	------	----	.000
Sunpatic, 1930	2	2	2,950	1.097	.549
Sun Pharos, 1937	4	0	462	.172	.043
Sun Portland, 1932	16	11	29,402	10.934	.683
*Sun Power, 1934	19	7	22,085	8.213	.432
*Sunshot, 1921	2	1	6,803	2.530	1.265
Sunspero, 1921	2	2	2,472	.919	.460
Sunsun, 1935	9	4	11,683	4.345	.483
Sun Superlette, 1937	23	14	26,690	9.926	.432
Sun Teddy, 1933	51	34	246,214	91.563	1.795
Sun Tryst, 1933	5	2	2,075	.772	.154
Sunwood, 1929	1	1	2,420	.900	.900
Sun Worship, 1926	2	0	60	.022	.011
Super Calendar, 1932	3	0	100	.037	.012
Supercargo, 1919	1	1	337	.125	.125
Supreme Court, 1932	8	3	8,080	3.005	.376
Supreme Foot, 1941	1	0	25	.009	.009
Supreme Sir, 1936	1	1	1,880	.699	.699
Supremo, 1940 (S. A.)	1	0	------	----	.000
Supremus, 1922	19	12	49,510	18.412	.969
Sustainer, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Swahili, 1934	9	7	29,483	10.964	1.218
Swashbuckler, 1933	68	45	176,120	65.496	.963
Swatter, 1927	3	0	------	----	.000
Sweep All, 1928	36	21	113,642	42.262	1.174
Sweep By, 1919	2	1	1,630	.606	.303
Sweeping Away, 1922	8	4	8,200	3.049	.381
Sweeping Light, 1929	66	38	191,740	71.305	1.080
Sweeping Tide, 1935	14	8	20,365	7.573	.541
Sweep Like, 1931	50	28	180,720	67.207	1.344
Sweepster, 1924	36	23	94,487	35.138	.976
*Swift and Sure, 1932	24	12	45,487	16.916	.705
Swincraft, 1929	1	1	2,410	.896	.896
Swinfield, 1927	6	4	11,194	4.163	.694
Swing and Sway, 1938	27	11	94,615	35.186	1.303
Swingster, 1938	1	0	------	----	.000
Swinprice, 1937	2	0	------	----	.000
Swiss Admiral, 1939	1	0	------	----	.000
Syl's Jimmy, 1939	1	0	------	----	.000
Symbolic, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Table Stakes, 1935	1	0	------	----	.000
Tag Me Mister, 1940	1	1	995	.370	.370
Tai-Yang, 1930 (Eng.)	2	1	3,850	1.432	.716
Taj Akbar, 1933 (Fr.)	1	1	3,975	1.478	1.478
Taj Ud Din, 1928 (Eng.)	1	0	------	----	.000
Tamalpias, 1932	1	0	415	.154	.154
Tannery, 1927	1	0	------	----	.000
Tapin, 1921 (Fr.)	1	0	45	.017	.017
Tarmac, 1934	2	0	------	----	.000
Tarpaulin, 1928	1	0	450	.167	.167
*Tea Trader, 1929	2	0	75	.028	.014
Tedall, 1934	6	0	150	.056	.009
Ted Clark, 1930	4	0	460	.171	.043
Teddy Beau, 1934	12	5	18,210	6.772	.564
Teddy Patic, 1934	8	6	34,530	12.841	1.605
Teddy's Comet, 1935	53	28	144,996	53.922	1.017
Teddy Weed, 1935	19	9	42,863	15.940	.839
Teddy Wrack, 1938	15	12	56,847	21.141	1.409
Ted Easy, 1935	44	25	70,264	26.130	.594
Tedious, 1934	18	13	37,310	13.875	.771
Tedsim, 1934	14	7	11,780	4.381	.313
Ten Carat, 1936	6	2	5,960	2.216	.369
Teperwine, 1936	2	2	543	.202	.101
Termination, 1933	15	7	4,721	1.756	.117
Terminus, 1930	7	4	2,369	.881	.126
*Tetrarchal, 1927	21	12	40,605	15.100	.719
Tetros, 1930	6	4	10,847	4.034	.672

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Sire, year foaled	Starters	Wnrs.	Earnings	Adjustment	Index
*Tetroy, 1924	1	0	120	.045	.045
Teufel, 1933	8	4	17,675	6.573	.822
Texas Flag, 1934	3	0	1,250	.465	.155
Thanksgiving, 1935	23	8	42,874	15.944	.693
Theatrical, 1929	10	5	10,266	3.818	.382
The Beginner, 1925	1	0	------	----	.000
The Black Abbot, 1926 (Eng.)	2	0	50	.019	.010
The Code, 1924	4	0	595	.221	.055
The Druid, 1937 (S. A.)	1	0	------	----	.000
The Fighter, 1933	7	0	3,475	1.292	.185
The Hare, 1933	3	2	8,205	3.051	1.017
The Heathen, 1924	7	4	9,326	3.468	.495
The Liner, 1936	1	1	760	.283	.283
Thellusson, 1936	11	9	31,815	11.832	1.076
The Mongol, 1928	6	1	1,005	.374	.062
The Moon, 1927	1	1	1,606	.597	.597
The Negus, 1934	2	1	308	.115	.058
The Nut, 1926	17	10	21,344	7.938	.467
The Okah, 1926	5	4	3,419	1.271	.254
The Persian, 1932	8	3	4,131	1.536	.192
The Porter, 1915	18	11	75,000	27.891	1.550
The Rhymer, 1938	15	10	44,605	16.588	1.106
The Roll Call, 1919	1	1	930	.346	.346
*The Romp 2nd, 1925	5	3	19,242	7.156	1.431
*The Satrap, 1924	2	2	7,117	2.647	1.324
The Scout, 1927	3	1	850	.316	.105
The Serf, 1936	2	0	390	.145	.073
The Shingler, 1935	4	1	1,922	.715	.179
The Southerner, 1935	4	2	1,555	.578	.145
The Tailor, 1924	1	1	1,100	.409	.409
Third Covey, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Third Degree, 1936	32	23	126,400	47.006	1.469
*This England, 1939	7	7	17,050	6.341	.906
*Thorndown, 1919	1	0	------	----	.000
Thorson, 1932	10	8	14,835	5.517	.552
Three Bars, 1940	6	3	3,546	1.319	.220
Thruster, 1932	6	6	9,990	3.715	.619
Thundering, 1922	8	2	4,280	1.592	.199
Thunderstorm, 1916	2	2	4,810	1.789	.895
Tick On, 1929	55	35	125,317	46.604	.847
Tide U. On, 1924	1	0	------	----	.000
Tiger, 1935	76	49	314,310	116.887	1.538
Tiger Gloss, 1923	1	0	------	----	.000
Timber Boy, 1928	2	1	1,340	.498	.249
Time Alone, 1936	3	1	2,350	.874	.291
Time Maker, 1925	36	19	48,579	18.066	.502
Time Passes, 1936	8	5	28,257	10.508	1.314
Time Prince, 1935	6	2	2,480	.922	.154
Time Signal, 1934	13	4	9,100	3.384	.260
Time Supply, 1931	38	24	125,376	46.626	1.227
Timu-Me, 1936	3	2	5,160	1.919	.640
Tinor, 1938	1	0	------	----	.000
Tintagel, 1933	66	44	229,268	85.261	1.292
Tip, 1934	2	2	3,200	1.190	.595
Titilator, 1937	2	0	855	.318	.159
Titus, 1927	29	15	15,809	5.879	.203
Tofee, 1931 (S. A.)	1	1	2,217	.824	.824
Token, 1923	1	1	9,395	3.494	3.494
Tommy Boy, 1928	20	12	39,194	14.576	.729
Tom's Pat, 1941	2	0	------	----	.000
*Tom Tiger, 1923	4	3	3,645	1.356	.339
Tom Tit, 1926 (Jam.)	1	0	300	.112	.112
Tom-Tom, 1938	10	3	5,780	2.224	.222
Toney Boots, 1934	1	1	4,250	1.581	1.581
Tonto Rock, 1927	2	0	125	.046	.023
Toots Conard, 1941	1	0	------	----	.000
Top Billing, 1935	8	3	4,827	1.795	.224
Top Hole, 1927	2	1	2,430	.904	.452
Top Man, 1936	5	3	7,695	2.862	.572
Top Milk, 1939	2	0	261	.097	.049
Top Row, 1931	42	25	153,622	57.130	1.360
Torchilla, 1924	15	7	30,900	11.491	.766
Tornado, 1939 (Fr.)	2	1	10,770	4.005	2.003
Total Eclipse, 1936	1	0	350	.130	.130
Tote, 1928	1	1	850	.316	.316
*Toubo, 1938	3	2	17,720	6.590	2.197
Tourbillon, 1928 (Fr.)	3	1	750	.279	.093
*Tourist 2nd, 1925	23	15	101,787	37.853	1.646
Trace Call, 1930	54	27	256,426	95.361	1.766
*Tracer, 1918	4	4	4,160	1.547	.309
Transmute, 1921	44	23	82,777	30.784	.700
Transporter, 1933	2	0	75	.028	.014
Trans Wynn, 1935	1	0	------	----	.000
Trapnet, 1921	2	2	3,025	1.125	.563
*Traumer, 1918	2	2	5,500	2.045	1.023
Treboy, 1927	1	0	295	.010	.010
Trelawny, 1924 (S. A.)	2	2	11,545	4.293	2.147
Tremont Boy, 1938	2	2	1,125	.418	.209
Tricameron, 1936 (Ger.)	1	0	------	----	.000
Trierarch, 1939	3	1	4,920	1.830	.610
Trigal, 1922 (S. A.)	1	1	22,590	8.401	8.401
Trim Comic, 1940	4	2	5,408	2.011	.503
Trimdon, 1926 (Eng.)	1	1	2,025	.753	.753
Trimmer, 1930	1	0	------	----	.000
Trinity Speed, 1930	2	0	------	----	.000
Triple Entente, 1937	1	0	------	----	.000
Triple Threat, 1929	4	2	4,441	1.652	.413
Trojan, 1912	1	0	------	----	.000
Tropic Sky, 1938	1	1	1,155	.430	.430
True Blue Pal, 1928	2	2	5,155	1.917	.959
True Sentiment, 1930	3	2	3,720	1.383	.461
Trymaster, 1935	3	1	182	.068	.023
Tryster, 1918	6	4	6,655	2.475	.413
Ttennob, 1933	1	0	390	.145	.145
Tubac, 1930	1	1	2,375	.883	.883
Turbulent, 1935 (Eng.)	1	1	3,050	1.134	1.134
Tuscador, 1927	4	2	2,300	.855	.214
Tutticurio, 1932	1	1	500	.186	.186
Twice, 1933	4	4	7,340	2.730	.683
Umidwar, 1931 (Eng.)	1	1	2,710	1.008	1.008
Unassisted, 1935	1	0	------	----	.000
Unbreakable, 1935	33	24	141,917	52.777	1.599
Uncle Lester, 1934	3	1	2,261	.841	.280
United, 1940	1	0	100	.037	.037
Universe, 1929	12	10	24,191	8.996	.750
Unselfish, 1935	1	1	1,113	.414	.414
Up 'n' Over, 1937	1	1	2,125	.790	.790
Upset, 1917	3	1	1,665	.619	.206
Upstream, 1935	7	2	3,540	1.316	.188
Up the Creek, 1936	1	0	120	.045	.045
Ut Majeur, 1927 (Eng.)	1	0	------	----	.000
Utopian, 1930	10	5	12,543	4.665	.467
Vain Bachelor, 1932	27	15	46,995	17.477	.647
Valdina Bully, 1937	6	4	4,820	1.792	.299
Valdina Orphan, 1939	14	9	57,104	21.236	1.517
*Valedictory 2nd, 1935	2	1	15,467	5.752	2.876
Valentino, 1922	3	3	3,788	1.409	.470
Valerian, 1935	3	0	------	----	.000
Valevictorian, 1933	3	3	19,985	7.432	2.477
Valiant Fox, 1933	8	5	12,785	4.755	.594
Valorous, 1924	3	2	10,515	3.910	1.303
Valted, 1934	13	6	17,051	6.341	.488
Vamoose, 1934	11	3	7,785	2.895	.263
Vander Pool, 1928	4	3	4,876	1.813	.453
Vanquish, 1926	6	1	515	.192	.032
Vatout, 1926 (Fr.)	1	0	------	----	.000
*Vejete, 1935	14	10	36,960	13.745	.982
Version, 1938	1	1	9,795	3.643	3.643
*Vespasiano, 1934	15	5	13,885	5.164	.344
Vicar, 1931	18	11	34,687	12.900	.717
Victrix, 1934 (Fr.)	4	2	12,000	4.463	1.116
Villon, 1929	31	21	24,900	9.260	.299
Vincentive, 1940	4	2	11,275	4.193	1.048
*Vino Puro, 1934	11	10	27,114	10.083	.917
Virginia Sweep, 1936	3	1	7,850	2.919	.973
Viscounty, 1926	8	4	11,795	4.386	.548
Vishnu, 1929	2	2	6,225	2.315	1.158
*Vitelio, 1931	2	2	3,620	1.346	.673
Vito, 1925	11	9	30,795	11.452	.818
Vitos Son, 1939	1	1	5,470	2.034	2.034
Voorwing, 1929	1	0	------	----	.000
Wagwood, 1931	2	1	420	.156	.078
Walter L., 1935	2	1	970	.361	.181
Walvis Bay, 1933 (Eng.)	1	0	------	----	.000
War, 1928	2	0	115	.043	.181
War Admiral, 1934	60	31	539,814	200.749	3.346
War Bam, 1939	2	1	3,624	1.348	.674
War Brigade, 1929	1	1	1,400	.521	.521
Warcraft, 1936	6	1	749	.279	.047
*War Cry, 1916	1	1	1,197	.445	.445
Ward Boss, 1935	4	3	9,885	3.676	.919
War Dog, 1936	34	27	181,856	67.630	1.989
War Gain, 1931	1	1	2,340	.870	.870
War Glory, 1930	53	34	218,803	81.370	1.535

STAKES AND HORSES

(Continued)

Blue Grip Beats His Elders

HURON HANDICAP, Detroit, August 3, $7,500 added, 3-year-olds and upward, $1\frac{1}{16}$ miles. Time 1:49⅘, track heavy. Stakes division, $5,565, $1,500, $750, $375.

BLUE GRIP, 107, 3 (Charles Rufi) 1
SEAWARD, 107, g., 4, Pilate—Flota, by Jack High (Hasty House Farm) 2
PELLICLE, 115, g., 6, Sir Damion—Pelisse, by *Pharamond 2nd (H. P. Headley) 3

Others, Roi Rouge 119, Air Sailor 106, Favorito 108, Agrarian-U 110. Winning jockey, Eddie Williams.

H. P. Headley's Pellicle was favorite for the Huron, but he was bumped soon after the start, recovered a little too late and was beaten back to third place. Blue Grip, the winner, was the only 3-year-old in the field, and was an outsider in the betting. Last by a long margin at the end of the first half-mile, he turned on the power in the last three furlongs, won going away by a length and a half.

Blue Grip was foaled March 9, 1946, at Douglas M. Davis' High Hope Farm near Lexington, and was sold privately to his present owner, Charles Rufi, one of High Hope's regular customers. He ran second in the Miles Standish Stakes last year, second in the Everglades Handicap this year, got his first stakes victory in the Huron. Other stakes winners by Blue Swords this year are Blue Lancer and Blue Dart.

Gypsy Grip, dam of Blue Grip, had a 1948 bay colt which was sold in the Keeneland Summer Sales of this year, going to Sanford Stud Farm for $3,900. The mare herself was sold by Mr. Davis at the Keeneland Fall Sales of 1948: B. F. Christmas bought her for $1,000. This year she produced a bay colt by *Rustom Sirdar at Mrs. James Purdey's Greenfields, Holmdel, N. J

BLUE GRIP, br. c., 1946

BLUE GRIP br. 1946	Blue Larkspur	Black Servant
		*Padula
	Blossom Time	*North Star 3rd
		*Vaila
	BLUE SWORDS b. 1940	Man o' War
		Fair Play
	Flaming Swords	Mahubah
		High Time
	Exalted	*Lady Comfey
	*Bull Dog	*Teddy
		Ajax
		Rondeau
	Plucky Liege	Spearmint
		Concertina
	GYPSY GRIP br. 1935	*Baigneur
		Sardanapale
	Meg Merrilies	Bain de Mer
		Compute
	Result	Adelaide Prince

Douglas M. Davis, breeder; Charles Rufi, owner; P. E. Simmons, trainer. Family No. 1.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	19	2	1	1	$ 4,850
3	20	2	3	3	12,940
Totals	39	4	4	4	$17,790

More Laurels for More Sun

UNITED STATES HOTEL STAKES, Saratoga, August 6, $10,000 added, 2-year-olds, six furlongs. Time 1:12, track fast. Stakes division, $14,500, $3,000, $1,500, $750.

MORE SUN, 118, c., Sun Again—The Damsel, by Flag Pole (Brookmeade Stable) 1
MR. TROUBLE, 114, c., *Mahmoud—Motto, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd (C. V. Whitney) 2
DETECTIVE, 118, g., Reaping Reward—Lull, by *Bull Dog (Mrs. A. Wichfeld) 3

Others, Thorn 114, Suleiman 114, Sudan 114, Guillotine 114, Nepal 114, Questus 109, Perilant 109. Winner: Brookmeade Stable, breeder; P. M. Burch, trainer; Dave Gorman, jockey.

MORE SUN'S RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	7	3	1	2	$44,775

More Sun, already winner of the Graduation Stakes at Detroit and placed in the National Stallion, Juvenile, and Flash Stakes in the East, stepped into the front ranks of the first-season division by his three-lengths victory in the U. S. Hotel Stakes. He gave weight to everything in the field except the favorite, Detective, which weakened under pressure near the end.

Pedigree and family notes on More Sun appeared in THE BLOOD-HORSE of July 23, page 302.

No. 1 for Threave Main

POLLYANNA STAKES, Arlington Park, July 28, $20,000 added, 2-year-old fillies, six furlongs. Time 1:12⅘, track fast. Stakes division, $16,450, $4,000, $2,000, $1,000.

TEA DEB, 113 (George M. Crump) 1
MISS STEPHANIE, 116, Requested—Lad's Gal, by Count Gallahad (J. A. Kroeck) 2
DUCHESS PEG, 122, Whirlaway—Some Pomp, by Pompey (Calumet Farm) 3

Others, Bridal Shower 116, Amiga 106, Wondring 110, Unique Reward 107, Devotional 110½, Almahmoud 116, Aurora Deb 106, But Definitely 106, Bows and Knots 110, Swing Again 110. William G. Helis entry, Bridal Shower and Almahmoud. Winning jockey, Don Scurlock.

Tea Deb was foaled March 21, 1947, at Carter Thornton's Threave Main Stud, Paris, Ky. Young Mr. Thornton had just taken over the establishment, formerly operated by the late John S. Wiggins as the Military Stock Farm. The Pollyanna winner was one of two foals born at Threave Main that year. She was bred in partnership by Mr. Thornton and Robert W. Collins. She was sold at the Keeneland Fall Sales of 1948 by Mrs. Jane Collins Hinkle and Mr. Thornton to Douglas Davis for $2,600. It had been intended to sell her at Saratoga in August, but she took sick and did not make the August sale.

Her first racing was for R. W. Collins at Hialeah Park on March 2 of this year. Later she raced for Windsor Farm, then appeared under the colors of her present owner, George M. Crump.

TEA DEB, ch. f., 1947

TEA DEB ch. 1947	Equipoise	Pennant
		Peter Pan
		*Royal Rose
	Swinging	Broomstick
		*Balancoire 2nd
	CARRIER PIGEON ch. ro. 1937	Friar Rock
		*Rock Sand
	Rockdove	*Fairy Gold
		*Polymelian
	Maibird	*Isette
	Clock Tower	*Snob 2nd
		Prestige
		May Dora
	Daylight Saving	*Star Shoot
		Tea Enough
	TEA BLOOM ch. 1939	Lee O. Cotner
		‡High Time
	Tea Blossom	Precious Pearl
		*Rock Sand
	Tea Biscuit	Tea's Over

‡Last Coin or High Time.

R. W. Collins and Carter Thornton, breeders; George M. Crump, owner; O. L. Hopper, trainer. Family No. 9.

She is the second stakes winner of the year for her sire, Carrier Pigeon, which is owned by C. V. Whitney and stands at C. A. Asbury's Hedgewood Farm, Lexington. Carrier Pigeon's other stakes winner of 1949 is Old Rockport, winner of the Santa Anita Derby.

On April 13, Tea Deb equaled the Gulfstream Park track record of :53 for 4½ furlongs, under 114 pounds.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	7	5	0	0	$23,625

TEA BLOOM, Unraced, 1 named foal—
TEA DEB (Carrier Pigeon), Stakes, above.

TEA BLOSSOM, Unraced, 8 foals—
LIGNUM VITAE (Vito), 7 wins, 3 through 7.
GAY HOUR (Clock Tower), 11 wins, 3 through 8 and 10.
TEA HOUR (Clock Tower), 1 win at 4.
TEA BLOOM (Clock Tower), Above.
CAPTAIN SILVER (Silverdale), Unraced.
COUNT BLOSSOM (Count Gallahad), 7 wins, 3 through 6.
SHIP JR. (Slave Ship), 9 wins at 2, 3, 4, 6.
SIP O'TEA (Rudie), 3 wins at 3.

TEA BISCUIT, 2nd Comberton H. 3rd First Nursery H. 12 foals—
CIRCUIT (Sir Martin), Unraced.
READING (Sir Martin), Winner.
CONVERSAZIONE (Adam Bede), Winner in South Africa.
ETHEL CLAYTON (Adam Bede), 10 wins at 2, 3, 4.
JOECOX (*Omar Khayyam), Unraced.
NABISCO (*Omar Khayyam), 21 wins, 2 through 5.
JUG OF WINE (*Omar Khayyam), Unplaced at 2. Producer.
HARD TACK (Man o' War), 3 wins at 3. Saranac H., Knickerbocker H. Sire of Seabiscuit.
TEA CHATTER (Lee O. Cotner), Unraced. Pr.
TEA BLOSSOM (Lee O. Cotner), Above.
TEA TOAST (Lee O. Cotner), Unraced.
TEA DATE (Lee O. Cotner), Unraced. Producer.

Quick Pay-Off

WILSON STAKES, Saratoga, August 2, $15,000 added, 3-year-olds and upward, one mile. Time 1:38⅕, track fast. Stakes division, $12,100, $3,000, $1,500, $750.

MANYUNK, 110 (H. W. Collins) 1
DONOR, 116, g., 5, Challedon—Orissa, by Purchase (Mrs. D. Howe) 2
WINE LIST, 112, c., 3, Questionnaire—*Fizz 2nd, by Manna (Greentree Stable) 3

Others, Mount Marcy, 110, Loser Weeper 114, Make-Up Man 110, Mel Hash 110, The Pincher, 3, 102; *Caifero 110. Winning jockey, Gordon Glisson.

Manyunk, the only horse in the eastern division of the Henry W. Collins Stable, scored his first stakes victory when he nosed out Mrs. Deering Howe's Donor in the Wilson Stakes. The gelded son of Unbreakable was bred by William du Pont Jr., and he raced in du Pont's Foxcatcher Farm colors at two, three, and half of this year. Collins, a former chairman of the Oregon State Racing Commission, bought him less than a month ago.

The closest Manyunk had come to a stakes win this year was at Santa Anita last winter, when he was beaten by Alablue and Bymeabond, after a fast-closing finish. Last year, he was second to Seven League in the Potomac Stakes.

In the Wilson, the fast finish paid off. Wine List, The Pincher, Mount Marcy, Loser Weeper, and Mel Hash were all in front of him in the

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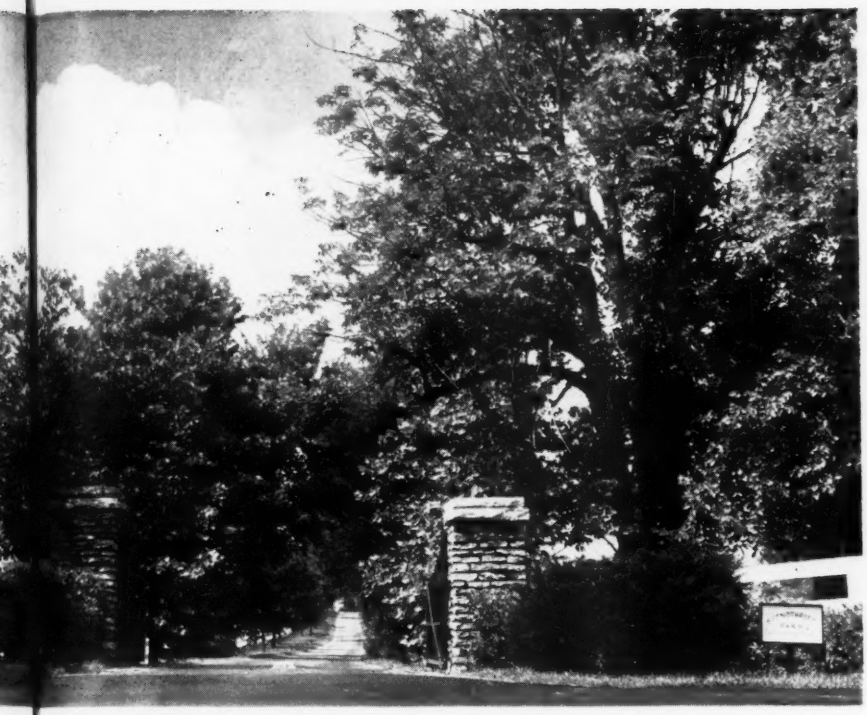

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early stages. But he started moving between horses in the stretch, while Donor was advancing on the outside. Manyunk was first by a head, Donor second by a neck, and Wine List third by half a length.

Manyunk is the seventh stakes winner for his sire, Unbreakable. Two others this year are the 2-year-olds Sturdy One (California Centennial Stakes) and Unbridled (Hyde Park Stakes).

MANYUNK. br. g., 1945

UNBREAKABLE br. 1935	*Sickle: Phalaris	Polymelus / Bromus
		Chaucer / Serenissima
	Selene	Persimmon / Lady Lightfoot
	*Prince Palatine: *Blue Glass	*Rock Sand / *Hautesse 2nd
	Hour Glass 2nd	Hastings / *Fairy Gold
GOLDEN MANDA br. 1937	Man o' War: Fair Play	*Rock Sand / *Merry Token
		Robert le Diable / Samphire
	Mahubah	Flint Rock / Golden View
	*Wrack: Golden Fair	
	*Golding	

William du Pont, Jr., breeder; H. W. Collins, owner; G. E. Roberts, trainer. Family No. 9.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	6	1	1	0	$ 3,300
3	14	3	3	4	13,950
4	12	3	3	2	32,325
Totals	32	7	7	6	$49,575

GOLDEN MANDA. Unraced. 3 named foals—
MABLEN (*Blenheim 2nd). Unraced.
MANYUNK (Unbreakable). Stakes, above.
MATEDCO (Chance Shot or Teddy's Comet). 2-year-old of 1949.

GOLDEN FAIR. 1 win at 2. 10 foals, including—
GOLDEN FATE. Pimlico Home Bred S. $42,570.
GOLD SEEKER. Chesapeake, Gazelle S. 3rd Santa Anita Derby, Potomac H., Riggs H. Producer.
Other winners: GOLDEN FAIRY, GOLDEN SEPTRE (dam of Copper Jade, Copper Beech), GOLDEN CLOWN, GOLDEN THORN.
Producers: GOLDEN CUB, GOLDEN MANDA (above).

*GOLDING. Winner at 3. 12 foals, including—
GOLDEN RULE. Delaware H., Advance H., Strathcona Plate.
THE POET. Myrtle S.
Other winners: ALLOY, GOLDEN FAIR (producer, above), GOLDEN WEST, GALAGOLD (producer), MARMULUS.
MARIDEL. Dam of Brother Jones.

$7,000 Sales Bargain

MILES STANDISH STAKES. Suffolk Downs, July 30, $7,500 added, 2-year-old colts and geldings, 5½ furlongs. Time 1:06, track fast. Stakes division, $6,725, $1,500, $1,000, $500.

LEFTY JIM, 117 (Mrs. Irving Gushen) 1
MUCHO MAS, 119, g., Swahili—Liberqueen, by Liberty Limited (R. B. Carroll) 2
STRANDED, 111, c., *Isolater—Toro Rose, by Toro (Abercrombie and Wyse) 3
Others, H. T. Perry 117, Well My Word 117 Fully Aware 117, Prince Dandy 110, Tiny Admiral 110. W. M. Wickham and Murlogg Farm entry, Well My Word and Tiny Admiral. Winning jockey, Richard DeStasio.

Lefty Jim was foaled March 18, 1947, at Harrie B. Scott's Shandon Farm, Lexington. He was sold by Mr. Scott and Tollie Young at the Keeneland Summer Sales of 1948 to Mrs. Irving Gushen for $7,000.

On January 31, at Hialeah Park, he made his first start, won it. The Miles Standish was his sixth victory in 15 races. At Suffolk Downs, in May, he was entered to be claimed for $10,000, went to the post the 6-to-5 favorite, and won, but was not claimed. He won his next start after that, then was beaten less than a length by Mucho Mas in the Narragansett Nursery Stakes. The Miles Standish was his third consecutive win since then. He has been unplaced only three times in his 15 starts.

His full sister was bought at the Keeneland Summer Sales last week from the Messrs. Scott and Young for $6,500 by Mrs. H. J. Damm.

Lefty Jim is the seventh stakes winner of the year for his sire, Roman, which stands at Elmendorf Farm. The others are Roman Candle, Provocative, The Shaker, Eastern Flyway, Ocean Brief, and Dandilly. All told, he is Roman's 14th stakes winner.

LEFTY JIM. b. c., 1947

ROMAN b. 1937	*Sir Gallahad 3rd: *Teddy	Ajax / Rondeau
		Spearmint / Concertina
	Plucky Liege	Sunstar / Hamoaze
	*Buckup: Buchan	Ultimus / Sweeping Glance
	Look Up	Polymelus / Bromus
PHARGUNNER b. 1940	*Pharamond 2nd: Phalaris	Chaucer / Serenissima
		Fair Play / Mahubah
	Selene	Sardanapale / Emilie
	Under the Guns: Man o' War	
	*Maimouna	

H. B. Scott and Tollie Young, breeders; Mrs. Irving Gushen, owner; R. J. Fisher, trainer. Family No. 5.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	15	6	4	2	$18,800

Grass Star

BELLE ISLE HANDICAP. Detroit, July 30, $20,000 added, 3-year-olds and upward, 1½ miles (turf course). Time 2:29⅘, track fast. Stakes division, $15,800, $4,000, $2,000, $1,000.

STUD POKER, 120 (E. E. Voynow) 1
VOLCANIC, 118, c., 4, *Ambrose Light—Hot Supper, by Gallant Fox (Walmac Farm) 2
FRERE JACQUES, 117, g., 7, Jack High—Tatanne, by St. James (Jacob Sher) 3
Others, Castel Beau 118, Pellicle 115, Turbine 118. Inseparable 114. Winning jockey, Donald MacAndrew.

Stud Poker was foaled March 26, 1943, at Mrs. John D. Hertz's Stoner Creek Stud, Paris, Ky. He raced for Mrs. Hertz at two, appeared at three under the colors of Paul L. Kelly, who still trains him, and then for his present owner, E. E. Voynow.

He has not been a winner of extreme class, but he has been very consistent and has turned in some first-rate races. One of them was in the Widener Handicap of 1948, in which he ran El Mono to a head in 2:01 for 1¼ miles, a new track record. Later, in the Miami Beach Handicap (turf) he ran in front all the way, beat off *Respingo and Sun Herod, then raced head-and-head with Bug Juice to win by a nose in 2:29⅕ for the 1½ miles, a new American record over a turf course. This was 3⅘ seconds faster than the previous record. Earlier in the Hialeah meeting he had set a track record of 1:57⅕ for a mile and three-sixteenths, over turf. In 1947, as a 4-year-old, he equaled the track record of 1:49⅖ for nine furlongs at Washington Park.

His first stakes victory came at four, when he won the Illinois Owners' Handicap. He was third in the Meadowland, Chicago, and Hawthorne Gold Cup Handicaps. In 1948 he won the Miami Beach, Arlington, and Meadowland Handicaps, was second in the Widener and Coral Gables Handicaps. Prior to winning the Belle Isle this year, he was second to Castel Beau in the Grassland Handicap at Arlington Park.

At Keeneland recently Stoner Creek Stud sold a half brother, by Count Fleet, to Stud Poker to C. M. Feltner, agent, for $18,000. His dam, *Betagain 2nd, had a bay colt by Count Fleet last February, and was bred to War Admiral.

STUD POKER. b. g., 1943

*BAHRAM b. 1932	Blandford: Swynford	John o' Gaunt / Canterb'y Pil'rim
		White Eagle / Black Cherry
	Blanche	Cicero / Prim Nun
	Friar's Daughter: Friar Marcus	Roseland / Concertina
	Garron Lass	Bay Ronald / Galicia
*BETAGAIN 2nd b. 1935	Gainsborough: Bayardo	St. Frusquin / Rosaline
		Ajax / Rondeau
	*Rosedrop	Chaucer / *Sunny Jane
	Betty: *Teddy	
	Miss Cavendish	

Mrs. John Hertz, breeder; E. E. Voynow, owner; P. L. Kelley, trainer. Family No. 16.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	2	1	0	0	$ 1,350
3	6	0	1	2	1,250
4	25	6	4	5	39,400
5	23	5	6	2	96,975
6	15	1	4	1	25,750
Totals	71	13	15	10	$164,725

*BETAGAIN 2nd. Placed at 3, 3rd Atalanta S., Yorkshire Oaks. 5 named foals—
*MUG'S GAME (*Easton or Pay Up). 11 wins at 3, 4, 5.
PLEASE PAY (Pay Up). Unraced. Producer.
STUD POKER (*Bahram). Stakes, above.
BETTER PAY (Count Gallahad). 1 win at 3.
BET YOU (Fighting Fox). 2-year-old of 1949.

BETTY. 4 wins at 2, 3. Molecomb S., Coronation S., Haverhill S. 8 named foals—
*BETAGAIN 2nd (Gainsborough). Above.
BETTER BREAD (Mannamead). 1 win at 3. Pr.
*BEST VALUE (Bosworth). Unplaced at 2. Pr.
TIDWORTH (Bosworth). 1 win at 2. Axminster S. Producer.
BETTER DONE (Donatello 2nd). Unraced.
DON'T TELL (Donatello 2nd). Unraced.
CRANBORNE CHASE (Foxhunter). 2 wins at 3.
TILLYKE (Foxhunter). Unraced.

MISS CAVENDISH. Unraced. 7 foals—
NEVER CROSS (Gay Crusader). 1 win at 4. 2nd Criterion S., Champagne S. 3rd Cheveley Park S. Dam of 'Appy.
CAVENDO (Gay Crusader). 1 win at 3. Norman Court S.
MISSIVE (Papyrus). Unplaced at 2.
CREME BRULEE (Bouleur). 10 wins at 3, 4, 5; all stakes wins.
BETTY (*Teddy). Above.
CAVE MAN (Mannamead). 2 wins at 3. Chester Vase S., Jersey S. 2nd Princess of Wales' S. 3rd Eclipse S.
*EASTBOURNE (*Easton). Unraced. Producer.

At $23,000 a Bargain

FLASH STAKES, Saratoga, August 1, $7,500 added, 2-year-olds, 5½ furlongs. Time 1:07⅕, track slow. Stakes division, $7,200, $1,500, $750, $375.
GREEK SHIP, 120, c., *Heliopolis—Boat, by Man o' War (Brookmeade Stable) ---------- 1
DETECTIVE, 120, g., Reaping Reward—Lull, by *Bull Dog (Mrs. A. Wichfeld) ---------- 2
MORE SUN, 120, c., Sun Again—The Damsel, by Flag Pole (Brookmeade Stable) ---------- 3
Others, Navy Chief 120, Broken Arches 116, Suleiman 116, Androcles 116, Assignment 108. Brookmeade Stable entry, Greek Ship and More Sun. Winner: H. B. Scott, breeder; P. M. Burch, trainer; Hedley Woodhouse, jockey.

MAYFLOWER STAKES, Suffolk Downs, August 6, $20,000 added, 2-year-olds, six furlongs. Time 1:12⅕, track fast. Stakes division, $20,725, $4,000, $2,000, $1,000.
GREEK SHIP, 122, c., *Heliopolis—Boat, by Man o' War (Brookmeade Stable) ---------- 1
LEFTY JIM, 119, c., Roman—Phargunner, by *Pharamond 2nd (Mrs. I. Gushen) ---------- †2
GROWING UP, 116, f., Maxim—Macie Margaret, by *Sir Greysteel (Dickey Stable) ---------- 3
†Disqualified, placed third.
Others, Mucho Mas 119, Georges Girl 113, Stranded 111, Dominave 122, Hell Bent 116, Miss Oakhurst 113. Mr. and Mrs. I. Gushen entry, Lefty Jim and Georges Girl. Winner: H. B. Scott, breeder; P. M. Burch, trainer; Hedley Woodhouse, jockey.

GREEK SHIP'S RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	7	4	0	1	$40,050

Wagering was down but attendance was up on the opening day at Saratoga when Brookmeade Stable's 2-year-old Greek Ship won his second stakes in six starts by half a length over Detective, 1948 sales acquisition of Mrs. Aksel Wichfeld. The early lead was taken by More Sun. But Greek Ship went to the outside at the head of the stretch and was roused to victory in front of Detective, which was closing ground.

After his Flash Stakes victory Greek Ship was sent to Suffolk Downs to try for the richest of the 2-year-old races there. Favorite at $1.60 to $1 for the Mayflower, he ran into trouble in the last sixteenth but got up just in time to get his head in front of the pacemaking Lefty Jim.

Greek Ship had swerved toward the outside as he came to the sixteenth pole. Straightened up, he was forced wider still when Lefty Jim drifted out, carrying Growing Up with him just as the latter appeared ready to take the lead. The stewards disqualified Lefty Jim from second place, put him third.

On the day Greek Ship won the Mayflower his stablemate More Sun won the U. S. Hotel Stakes at Saratoga.

Pedigree and family notes on Greek Ship appeared in THE BLOOD-HORSE of July 23, page 277. He was a $23,000 bargain at the Keeneland Summer Sales of 1948.

Checkmate

SAPLING STAKES, Monmouth Park, July 27, $10,000 added, 2-year-olds, six furlongs. Time 1:11⅗, track fast. Stakes division, $9,900, $2,000, $1,000, $750.
CASEMATE, 122, c., Case Ace—Ky. Flash, by Sun Teddy (J. C. Brady) ---------- 1
HILL PRINCE, 115, c., *Princequillo—Hildence, by Bubbling Over (C. T. Chenery) ---------- 2
THORN, 113, c., *Easton—Rose Petal, by High Time (Mrs. Arthur Roberts) ---------- 3
Others, Ferd 122, Fox Time 122, Admiral Drake 115, Jaleen 108. Mrs. Andy Schuttinger and J. M. Roebling entry, Ferd and Admiral Drake. Winner: James C. Brady, breeder; Robert Dotter, trainer; Johnny Gilbert, jockey.

CASEMATE'S RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	3	3	0	0	$23,425

Casemate now is in the firm position of having made three starts and won three victories, including two stakes. He broke his maiden over the Widener course at Belmont Park on June 11, at five furlongs. On June 22, at Delaware Park, he won the Dover Stakes over Our Tops and Mucho Mas. His win in the Sapling came easiest of all: at level weight with Ferd and Fox Time, he won by a length, without very much apparent effort. His pedigree and family notes were in THE BLOOD-HORSE of July 23, page 343.

Another Brass Ring

MONMOUTH HANDICAP, Monmouth Park, July 23, $25,000 added, 3-year-olds and upward, 1¼ miles. Time 2:03⅗, track fast. Stakes division, $20,200, $5,000, $2,500, $1,500.
THREE RINGS, 110, g., 4, Blue Larkspur—Circus Ring, by *Bull Dog (Mrs. E. L. Hopkins) -- 1
ROUND VIEW, 112, h., 6, *Boswell—Tacky Sue, by Hard Tack (Sanford Stud Farm) ---------- 2
SPLASH, 104, c., 4, *Isolater—Ripples, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd (Al-Jo Stable) ---------- 3
Others, Papa Redbird 119, Pilaster 116, Donor 117, Flashco 105, El Mono 112. Winner: John S. Phipps, breeder; Willie Knapp, trainer; Hedley Woodhouse, jockey.

THREE RINGS' RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	0	0	0	0	------
3	22	7	2	2	$28,390
4	16	6	2	3	67,200
Totals	38	13	4	5	$95,590

Three Rings is not one of the top handicap contenders, but he races at a consistent level and wins enough to more than pay his way. He won the Royal Palm Handicap over First Nighter and Faultless at Hialeah Park in January, and the Queens County Handicap over Conniver and Bug Juice at Aqueduct in mid-June. He was third to Coaltown and Vulcan's Forge in the Gallant Fox Handicap at Jamaica in April. For his pedigree and family notes see THE BLOOD-HORSE of February 5, page 373.

Rippey Nears $300,000

OCEANPORT HANDICAP, Monmouth Park, August 3, $10,000 added, 3-year-olds and upward, six furlongs. Time 1:11⅖, track sloppy. Stakes division, $7,875, $2,000, $1,000, $750.
RIPPEY, 125, h., 6, Pompey—Broad Ripple, by Stimulus (W. G. Helis) ---------- 1
CACIQUE, 104, g., 4, Case Ace—*Cartimandua, by Caerleon (Al-Jo Stable) ---------- 2
MANGOHICK, 125, g., 5, Sun Beau—Hildene, by Bubbling Over (C. T. Chenery) ---------- 3
Others, Picture Card 108, Buzfuz 118. Winner: Mrs. R. A. Van Clief, breeder; W. Booth, trainer; Johnny Gilbert, jockey.

RIPPEY'S RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	0	0	0	0	------
3	15	4	2	1	$ 40,250
4	20	4	4	5	94,000
5	16	5	5	1	94,290
6	13	3	3	3	66,575
Totals	64	16	14	10	$295,115

After three successive second-placings Rippey got a head victory in the Oceanport Handicap, raised his earnings almost to the $300,000 level. One of the hardest-hitting sprinters of recent years, the Helis horse was favorite in the well matched field of five and carried equal top weight with Mangohick, which finished third, three-quarters of a length behind the bottom-weighted Cacique.

It was Rippey's third stakes victory of the year. Pedigree and family particulars were in THE BLOOD-HORSE of April 9, page 53.

Cover Up Equals Record

BING CROSBY HANDICAP, Del Mar, July 30, $10,000 added, 3-year-olds and upward, six furlongs. Time 1:10 (equals track record), track fast. Stakes division, $6,800, $2,000, $1,500, $1,000.
COVER UP, 114, c., 6, *Alibhai—*Bel Amour 3rd, by *Beau Pere (Z. T. Addington) ---------- 1
ROMAN IN, 115, c., 4, Arigotal—Romanesque, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd (R. C. Ellsworth Stable) -- 2
BARSARD, 116, c., 4, Top Row—Be Zida, by *Bistouri (W. P. Bowen) ---------- 3
Others, Prevaricator 116, Belle Jolie 112, Phantom Sea 116, Owners Choice 122, Kab 114, Procession 117, Zenoda 113. Winner: L. B. Mayer, breeder; B. Roberts, trainer; Merlin Volzke, jockey.

COVER UP'S RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	5	1	0	1	$ 1,080
3	8	2	3	0	5,700
4	22	8	5	1	179,150
5	12	1	1	1	10,450
6	13	2	1	2	18,040
Totals	60	14	10	5	$214,420

Cover Up won his second stakes of the year when he came from eighth place at the quarter-pole to outrun the Ellsworth Stable's Roman In by a length. He won the Pacific Handicap on March 19, at Golden Gate Fields. In the Bing Crosby Handicap, Cover Up was overlooked in the wagering, but not overlooked in the stretch drive that equaled a track record. The record of 1:10 for the six furlongs was made by High Resolve in 1945.

The Bing Crosby winner was foaled February 18, 1943, at Louis B. Mayer's farm at Perris, Calif. He was sold to W. L. Sandstrom for $12,000 and later turned over to Z. T. Addington, his present owner, for $24,000. Cover Up equaled the American record for 1¼ miles (2:00 at the time), and also equaled the 1⅛-mile record at Tanforan, 1:52. The pedigree and family notes on Cover Up were in THE BLOOD-HORSE of March 26, page 774.

BARRIER

On July 26, the New Hampshire Racing Commission adopted this rule:

No racing association licensed by the New Hampshire Racing Commission shall be allowed to allot stall space or accept the entry of any horse three years old or older which has started in a running race eight times or more within two years of the opening of a race meeting in New Hampshire, unless said horse has finished first, second or third in a race at a licensed track during said period.

At a meeting of the Thoroughbred Club of America at Lexington on July 6, a recommendation for such a rule was made by Dan Chappell, president of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association.

Leading Sires of 2-Year-Olds

The following list of leading sires of 2-year-olds accounts for first monies in North America through August 6, except for a few small tracks.

Sire	Wnrs.	Wins	Stakes Wnrs./Wins	Earned
TEDDY'S COMET	7	15	3/5	$117,230
SUN AGAIN	10	22	1/2	71,085
WHIRLAWAY	8	11	1/1	61,320
EIGHT THIRTY	7	11	2/2	51,200
*HELIOPOLIS	7	10	1/3	50,050
ZACAWEISTA	3	9	1/3	47,840
BULL LEA	10	15	1/1	44,285
LOCHINVAR	5	13	1/2	44,250
ROSEMONT	2	5	1/3	39,750
ROMAN	11	18	1/1	38,305
TOP ROW	3	5	1/1	38,035
WAR ADMIRAL	6	13	1/1	37,850
ARIEL	8	16	1/1	37,705
COUNT FLEET	3	5	1/1	35,875
APACHE	3	7	1/3	34,970
*MAHMOUD	8	11	2/2	34,105
CASE ACE	6	8	1/2	33,700
UNBREAKABLE	5	10	2/2	33,295
*KING'S ABBEY	3	6	1/1	32,995
ATTENTION	6	12	1/1	31,025

THE MOST WINNERS

Roman	11	Alsab	6
Bull Lea	10	Attention	6
Sun Again	10	Balladier	6
Ariel	8	Bimelech	6
*Mahmoud	8	Bolingbroke	6
Menow	8	Bull Reigh	6
Reaping Reward	8	Carrier Pigeon	6
Whirlaway	8	Case Ace	6
Easy Mon	7	Fenelon	6
Eight Thirty	7	Maxim	6
Eternal Bull	7	Pilate	6
*Heliopolis	7	Sir Damion	6
Omission	7	War Admiral	6
Teddy's Comet	7	War Relic	6
With Regards	6		

GALLOP POLL

On Hanging Together

(From Alex Mackay-Smith, Lucky Hit Farm, White Post, Va.)

The following paragraphs, from a recent issue of *Horse and Hound* (England) are, I believe, of considerable importance to the racing interests of this country:

> Net surplus of the Racecourse Betting Control Board for 1948 was £490,000 from which £222,840 has been assigned to the Racecourse Fund, £150,000 towards the reduction of the cost of travelling racehorses to meetings, and £11,631 as assistance in 1948 to point-to-point and bona-fide Hunt meetings.
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> From the sum made available to the Racecourse Totalisator Charity Trust for assisting horse breeding, veterinary science and other objects, the Hunters Improvement Society is allocated £20,000; Olympic Games and International Equestrian Fund £3,000; British Horse Society £2,000; National Pony Society £2,750, and the Shire, Suffolk, and Clydesdale Societies get £2,000 each. British Percherons receive £1,500.
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> Other society grants, in addition to £8,900 for local horse organizations in England, Scotland and Wales include Welsh Ponies, Cleveland Bays and Highland £500 each; and £600 each to the Arab and Hackney. Shetlands have been allocated £200.

The only real money in the horse business, either in this country or anywhere else, is in the racing end. In the United States the racing picture is made up of both running and trotting races, in England of running races only.

England has recognized that the financial welfare of the horse picture as a whole is the responsibility of racing. Because of this all horse interests are united in their support of racing. Quite the opposite situation prevails in the United States. Racing has neither assumed responsibility for nor received the support of the horse interests of the nation.

Racing needs that support. All horsemen should be united in furthering the interests of racing, in protecting it from its many enemies. Conversely the various breed societies, veterinary research, the small race horse owner, the Hunt Race Meetings and other similar organizations need the financial support of racing if they are to maintain their present usefulness and to expand it in future.

Racing in this country should take full advantage of the example and experience of the English in this particular field. If we don't hang together, we may all hang separately.

Hunt Meets Encouraged

(From S. Bryce Wing, president of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association.)

Some months ago, at a meeting held in Chicago, a number of gentlemen interested

in hunt race meetings in the Middle West met with representatives of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association to discuss hunt racing as it exists at the present time in their locality. As the result of this talk a recent announcement was made that the following race meetings would be sanctioned this spring and run under the rules of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association:

Tryon Riding and Hunt Club, Tryon, N. C., Apr. 23.
Oakbrook Race Meeting, Hinsdale, Ill., June 4.
Royalton Steeplechase Assn., Zionsville, Ind., June 11.

Dates for the fall races of the Creve Coeur meeting at Washington, Ill., and the Metamora meeting at Metamora, Mich., will be announced within the near future, and there is every reason to believe that these meetings will prove to be the nucleus of many other sanctioned meetings in the Middle West within the next few years.

I feel that many people who plan to participate in these meetings as an owner, trainer, rider, or as a spectator, would like to know a little something of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association and what it is trying to do. One of the primary functions of this Association is to promote and encourage steeplechasing and hunt racing, and the other important function is to supervise and regulate the sport so that it may be conducted in a manner well done, and above all so that it may be on a commanding level of honesty and sportsmanship so as to deserve the confidence and respect of the racing public generally.

The problems of the newer meetings are many, but in some ways these problems are of a different nature than those of the older meetings in the East. Because of this very fact, many of the rules and regulations which are necessary in the conduct of the older meetings are not needed by the Middle West meetings at this time. Fortunately, the Rules of Racing are elastic enough to cover this situation, and on the attached sheet are several matters along these lines.

In closing I would like to say that we welcome to the sport every person who feels himself a sportsman in the true sense of the word, and who feels that clean, honest competition in sports is one of the many things we cherish as a part of our American way of life.

I use the word "sportsman" in a very special sense, and I am reminded of the words of a famous sportsman of another generation who said to his grandchildren, "I want you to grow up good country gentlemen, doing your duty to your country and your neighbors, rich and poor, and versed in all the occupations which

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IT CAN BE DONE

. . . but don't try it!

Sometimes it's possible to break all the rules—and get away with it.

The Tower of Pisa, for instance, has successfully defied engineering rules and the law of gravity for over 800 years.

But for most of us, most of the time, the rules hold. Especially when it comes to *saving money.*

The first rule of successful saving is *regularity* . . . salting away part of *every* pay check.

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A Stairway to a STAR

WHIRLAWAY
4 year old crop
thru 1949

Dart By, Scattered,
Whirl Some, Whirling Fox
Eagle Look, Gale Force
Justa Whirl, Mulatto, Riot
Rush Hour, Striker Pilot
The Dervish, Vortex
Whirl Blast, Whirl Thru
Whirl Top, Whirling Girl

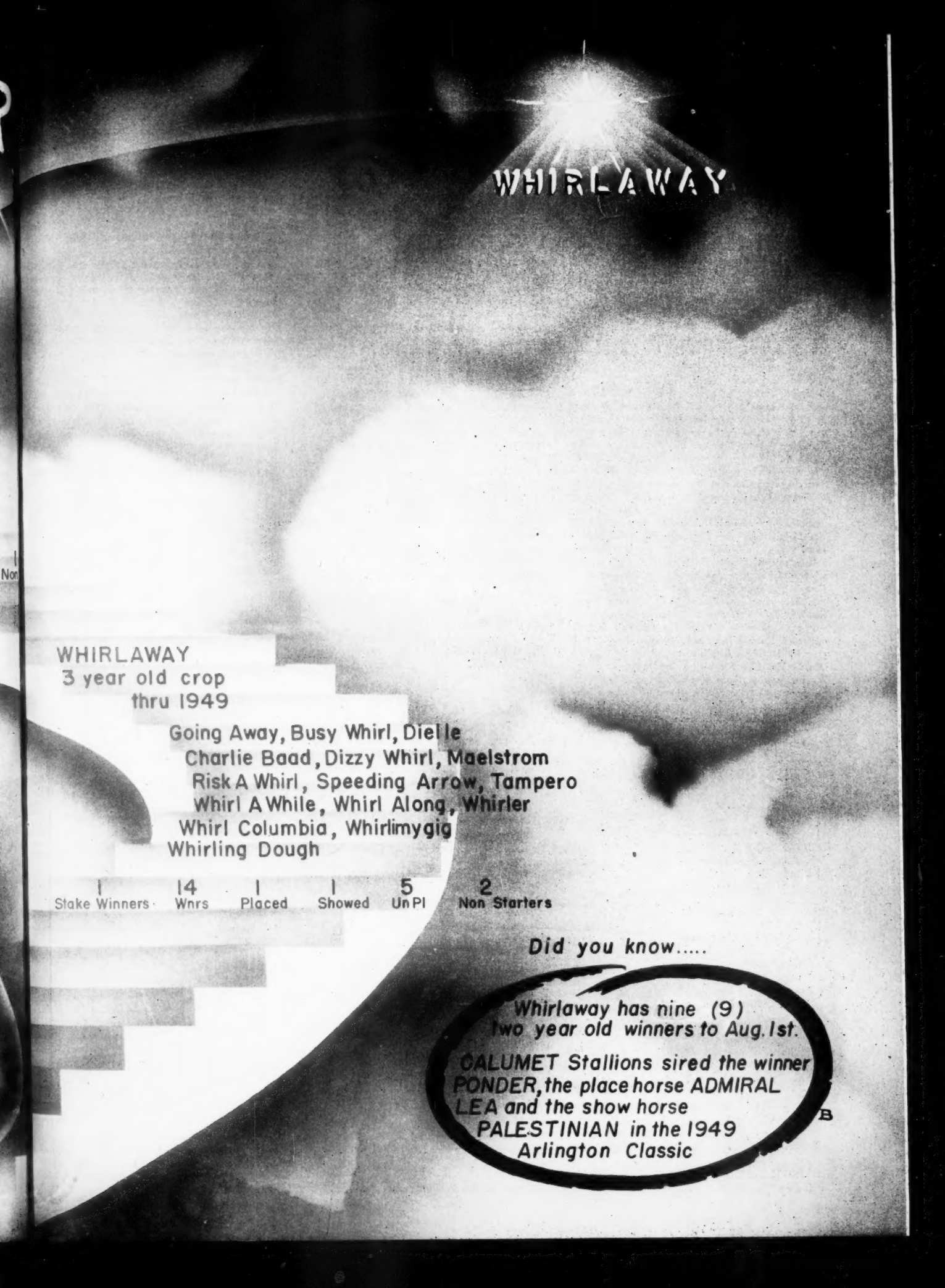
4	14	1	2	1
Stake Winners	Wnrs	Pl	Un Pl	Non

WHIRLAWAY
2 year old crop
thru 1949

Duchess Peg, Kinsman
Othello, Twister, Whirl By
Whirl Flower, Whirl Around
Whirling World, Lickety Cut

2	8	1	3	9	4
Stake Wnrs	Wnrs	Pl	Sh	UnPl	Non Starters

Calumet FARM
WARREN WRIGHT


WHIRLAWAY
WHIRLAWAY
3 year old crop
thru 1949
Going Away, Busy Whirl, Dielle
Charlie Baad, Dizzy Whirl, Maelstrom
Risk A Whirl, Speeding Arrow, Tampero
Whirl A While, Whirl Along, Whirler
Whirl Columbia, Whirlimygig
Whirling Dough
1 Stake Winners
14 Wnrs
1 Placed
1 Showed
5 Un Pl
2 Non Starters
Did you know.....
Whirlaway has nine (9)
two year old winners to Aug. 1st.
CALUMET Stallions sired the winner
PONDER, the place horse ADMIRAL
LEA and the show horse
PALESTINIAN in the 1949
Arlington Classic

MORE STAKES

His Richest Purse

MASSACHUSETTS HANDICAP, Suffolk Downs, August 13, $50,000 added, 3-year-olds and upward, 1¼ miles. Time 2:04⅗, track heavy. Stakes division, $39,200, $10,000, $5,000, $2,500.

FIRST NIGHTER, 104 (Cherry Oca Stable) 1
GOING AWAY, 103, g., 3. Whirlaway—Royal Venture, by High Quest (Brookmeade Stable) 2
*MICHIGAN 3rd, 117, h., 5, Tonico—Kyra, by Parwiz (Nor-Mill Farm) 3
Others, Assault 125, Fancy Flyer 106. Winning jockey, Joe Renick.

First Nighter was foaled April 25, 1945, at Joseph M. Roebling's Harmony Hollow Stud in New Jersey, where his dam had been sent to be bred to Case Ace. He earned his first stakes placing at two, in 1947, when he was second to Cacique in the New Jersey Futurity. His first stakes victory came in 1948, when he won the Lamplighter Handicap at Monmouth Park, beating Artist Life and Dinner Gong. He also was second in the Choice Stakes and the Absecon and the All American Handicaps. Prior to winning the Massachusetts Handicap on August 13, he had been second in the Royal Palm and Tomasello Memorial Handicaps.

The son of Eight Thirty is the sixth stakes winner of the year for his sire, which stands at George D. Widener's Old Kenney Place, Lexington. The others are Dinner Gong, Reveille, Ontotheblue, Rare Perfume, and Here's Hoping.

First Nighter first raced for Sam A. Mason, owner of River Edge Farm. He was bought last year by David S. Toochin, owner of the Cherry Oca Stable. Mr. Toochin, a Boston businessman, is president of the Chinese Import and Export Company and the International Plastics Company. He also has served as purchasing agent for the Chian Kai-Shek government of China, and reportedly has owned and raced horses in China.

FIRST NIGHTER, ch. c., 1945

EIGHT THIRTY ch. 1936	Pilate	Friar Rock	*Rock Sand
			*Fairy Gold
		*Herodias	The Tetrarch
			Honora
	High Time	Dinner Time	Ultimus
			Noonday
		Seaplane	Man o' War
			*Bathing Girl
WINNING STREAK ch. 1936	Chance Play	Fair Play	Hastings
			*Fairy Gold
		*Quelle Chance	Ethelbert
			*Qu'Elle est Belle 2nd
	General Lee	Illusive	*War Cloud
			Nancy Lee
		French Doll	Superman
			Miss Hope

River Edge Farm, breeder; Cherry Oca Stable, owner; H. O. Simmons, trainer. Family No. 17.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	17	2	3	3	$ 8,600
3	18	3	6	2	35,825
4	16	1	4	1	49,850
Totals	51	6	13	6	$94,275

WINNING STREAK. Placed at 2, 3, 5 named foals—
GRAND STREAK (Granville). Unraced.
FARO QUEEN (Case Ace). 3 wins at 2.
ROXBURY (Pilate). Unplaced at 2.
CHIPS DOWN (Pilate). 4 wins at 3, 4.
FIRST NIGHTER (Eight Thirty). Stakes, above.

ILLUSIVE. 6 wins at 2. Mineola Claiming S. 3rd Nursery H., Acorn S. 10 named foals—
SOUGHT AFTER (The Scout). 5 wins at 2, 3, 4.
WINNING STREAK (Chance Play). Above.
GAMBIT (Chance Play). 13 wins, 2 through 6.
GO SEEK (Bold Venture). Placed at 2. Pr.
HEADER (Head Play). 1 win at 2.
REGIMENTAL (Coldstream). 20 wins, 2 through 7. 3rd Vanity H.
PILGRIM (Thanksgiving). Placed at 3.
ANCHOR CHAIN (Thanksgiving). 1 win at 5.
THE BAGEL (Thanksgiving). 6 wins at 3, 4.
MISS CRANBERRY (Thanksgiving). Pl. at 3.

FRENCH DOLL. Winner at 2. 12 foals—
PARTY DRESS (Dress Parade). Unraced. Pr.
DRESS DOLL (Dress Parade). 1 win at 2.
ILLUSIVE (General Lee). Above.
DEETS CAMPFIRE (Campfire). 5 wins at 3, 5.
BALKANESE (Balko). 14 wins at 2, 3, and 5, 6, 7. Bowie Kindergarten S.
DORIS RENE (*Philippi). 2 wins at 2, 3.
OKLAB (Balko). 1 win at 2.
LIZBETH MARTY (Brown Bud). Unraced.
GENDARME (Pompey). 11 wins at 3 through 6 and at 8.
OHLALA (Pompey). Unplaced.
FRENCH FRILL (*Belfonds). Unraced.
CHRYS-DOLL (*Chrysler 2nd). 13 wins at 4, 5, 6.

Kid Sister

SCHUYLERVILLE STAKES, Saratoga, August 10, $7,500 added, 2-year-old fillies, 5½ furlongs. Time 1:05⅘, track fast. Stakes division, $8,000, $1,500, $750, $187.50 (each).

STRIKING, 115 (Ogden Phipps) 1
SUNDAY EVENING, 112, Eight Thirty—Drowsy, by *Royal Minstrel (Greentree Stable) 2
NAZMA, 115, Shut Out—Dark Loveliness, by *Traumer (Clifford Mooers) 3
Others, Fais Do Do 112 and Our Patrice 115 (dead heat for fourth), Bed o' Roses 122, Rare Perfume 119, High Frequency 122, Royal Passes 112, Galmeow 113, Miss Stephanie 119, Petit Bleu 107. Winning jockey, Eddie Arcaro.

Striking was foaled in 1947 at Clarence LeBus' Plum Lane Farm at Lexington, where Ogden Phipps keeps his breeding stock. The farm is managed by C. F. White. She is the second stakes winner of 1949 for her sire, War Admiral, and is the third stakes winner for her dam, Baby League, which also has produced, to War Admiral, the stakes winners Busher and Mr. Busher.

The Schuylerville was Striking's third win from four starts, and her third win in succession. Her dam has a yearling full brother to Busher, Mr. Busher, and Striking, and was barren this year to Whirlaway. This spring she was bred to War Admiral.

Baby League was one of the mares involved when Mr. Phipps, the Greentree Stable, and the King Ranch bought the land and horses formerly owned by the late Col. E. R. Bradley in the fall of 1946. Mr. Phipps obtained Baby League, carrying Striking at the time, and four other mares, four yearlings, and three weanlings. Mr. Busher, then a weanling, was sold to Mrs. Elizabeth N. Graham's Maine Chance Farm for $50,000, a record price for a Thoroughbred of that age.

Baby League, by Bubbling Over, has had seven foals to reach racing age. Bomb Dolly, and Rocking Horse are winners; Busher, Mr. Busher, and Striking are stakes winners. Betteefarlee and Grand League were unraced.

STRIKING, b. f., 1947

WAR ADMIRAL br. 1934	Man o' War	Fair Play	Hastings
			*Fairy Gold
		Mahubah	*Rock Sand
			*Merry Token
	Brushup	Sweep	Ben Brush
			Pink Domino
		Annette K.	Harry of Here'rd
			*Bathing Girl
BABY LEAGUE b. 1935	Bubbling Over	*North Star 3rd	Sunstar
			Angelic
		Beaming Beauty	Sweep
			Bellisario
	*La Troienne	*Teddy	Ajax
			Rondeau
		Helene de Troie	Helicon
			Glasalt

Ogden Phipps, breeder and owner; J. Fitzsimmons, trainer. Family No. 1.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	4	3	1	0	$12,925

*Stakes Winner for *Princequillo*

WORLD'S PLAYGROUND STAKES, Atlantic City, August 13, $15,000 added, 2-year-olds, six furlongs. Time 1:12⅘, track sloppy. Stakes division, $11,275, $3,000, $1,500, $750.

HILL PRINCE, 117 (Christopher T. Chenery) ... 1
ATTENTION MARK, 117, c., Attention—Night Market, by *Man O'Night (Bobanet Stable) 2
CORNWALL, 114, c., Some Chance—Corinne Dailey, by *Swift and Sure (A. S. Hewitt) 3
Others, Friedacres 117, Clean Broom 117, Greelac 117, Iltis 114, Wolf Whistle 117. Winning jockey, Doug Dodson.

Hill Prince was foaled on February 20, 1947, at C. T. Chenery's The Meadow, Doswell, Va. He is the first stakes winner for his sire, *Princequillo, which now stands at Claiborne Stud, Paris, Ky., and formerly stood in Virginia.

Hildene, the dam of Hill Prince, has a yearling filly by *Flushing 2nd, and this year had a filly by Bossuet.

Prior to winning the World's Playground Stakes, Hill Prince was second to Casemate in the Sapling Stakes, at Monmouth Park on July 27.

HILL PRINCE, b. c., 1947

*PRINCEQUILLO b. 1940	Prince Rose	Rose Prince	*Prince Palatine
			Eglantine
		Indolence	Gay Crusader
			Barrier
	*Cosquilla	Papyrus	Tracery
			Miss Matty
		Quick Thought	White Eagle
			Mindful
HILDENE b. 1938	Bubbling Over	*North Star 3rd	Sunstar
			Angelic
		Beaming Beauty	Sweep
			Bellisario
	*Wrack	*Teddy	Robert le Diable
			Samphire
	Fancy Racket	Ultimate	Ultimus
			Idle Fancy

Christopher T. Chenery, breeder and owner; J. H. Hayes, trainer. Family No. 9.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	5	4	1	0	$20,750

For the family particulars on Hill Prince, see notes on Mangohick in THE BLOOD-HORSE of July 16, page 169. Hildene, dam of Hill Prince, also is the dam of Mangohick.

First for Foray Vina

HORSESHOE HANDICAP, Detroit, August 10, $7,500 added, 3-year-olds, six furlongs. Time 1:11⅘, track fast. Stakes division, $5,215, $1,500, $750, $375.

FORAY VINA, 112 (H. Forrest) 1
YES YOU, 118, c., Eight Thirty—Who Me, by Menow (H. P. Headley) 2
CARGO, 110, f., Carrier Pigeon—Mattock, by *Sickle (Brent and Thomas) 3

Also ran, Vixen Rose 111. Winning jockey, Kenneth Church.

Foray Vina was foaled April 23, 1946, at the late Edward S. Moore's Circle M Farm, Lexington. In his first start, February 17, 1948, at Hialeah Park, he was third to Ocean Drive and Irish Sun. Later in the season, he won two races, was second to The Admiral in the Tremont Stakes, and third to Mr. Busher in the National Stallion Stakes.

Mrs. Moore sold him in April of this year, and he was acquired by Henry Forrest, his present owner.

The Horseshoe Handicap gave Foray Vina his first stakes win, and made him the first stakes winner for his sire, Foray Array, which stands at Circle M Farm. Foray Vina is from his sire's first crop of four foals, two of which are winners. Foray Array was bred to five mares in 1949.

FORAY VINA, b. g., 1946

*Foray 2nd	Tetratema	The Tetrarch / Scotch Gift
	Black Ray	Black Jester / Lady Brilliant
FORAY ARRAY b. 1942	*Sir Gallahad 3rd	*Teddy / Plucky Liege
Fine Array	Maradadi	Stimulus / Virginia L.
Sir John Johnson	*Isidor	Amphion / *Isis
MALVINA B. b. 1923	La Tosca 2nd	*Laureate / La Tosca
*Love Story	Sunstar	Sundridge / Doris
	Sweet Story	Peppermint / Stourfield

Circle M Ranch Stables, breeder; H. Forrest, owner and trainer. Family No. 5.

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	11	2	1	2	$10,625
3	7	4	1	0	11,665
Totals	18	6	2	2	$22,290

Detroit Winner

GOVERNOR'S LADY HANDICAP, Detroit, August 13, $25,000 added, fillies and mares 3 years old and upward, 1⅛ miles. Time 1:52⅘, track good. Stakes division, $22,000, $5,000, $2,500, $1,250.

BROWNIAN, 114, m., 5, *Sickle—Brown Biscuit, by Sir Andrew (Eslie Asbury) 1
PELLA, 103, f., 3, *Pharamond 2nd—Salaminia, by Man o' War (H. P. Headley) 2
EVANSTEP, 110, f., 4, The Rhymer—Del Turban, by Abdel (A. R. Evans) 3

Others, Miss Mommy 109, Our Request, 3, 106; Ann's Lee 107, Lithe, 3, 112; Bea Right, 3, 105; Alsab's Day, 3, 110; Mahshell, 3, 106; Challorette 106. H. P. Headley entry, Pella and Lithe; H. H. Battle entry, Miss Mommy and Bea Right. Winner: Eslie Asbury, breeder; Howard Wells, trainer; Kenneth Church, jockey.

BROWNIAN'S RACING RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	8	3	0	0	$ 4,200
3	16	1	7	2	17,975
4	14	1	1	3	11,975
5	16	2	7	1	55,800
Totals	54	7	15	6	$89,950

Brownian, carrying more weight than any other horse in the race (though not by the scale), was outrun early, but made up ground in the stretch, beat Pella a nose. The Headley filly led to the wire. Evanstep, like Brownian, could not keep up in the early furlongs, went past horses in the stretch.

For Brownian the victory was her second stakes win and fourth stakes placing of the year. She had won the Tulip Handicap at Detroit on June 25, and was second at Hialeah Park last winter in the Columbiana and the Black Helen Handicaps. For her pedigree and family notes see THE BLOOD-HORSE of July 16, page 216.

The Aga Khan's stable in England this year includes both the top-ranking colt and the best filly shown in the 2-year-old division this year. The colt, Palestine, is by Fair Trial—Una, by Tetratema—Uganda, by Bridaine. The filly, Diableretta, is by Dante—Dodoma, by Dastur.

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*ALIBHAI ZEROED OUT

In the Spendthrift Farm advertisement in the August 13 issue, *Alibhai was advertised at $500 Live Foal. Book Full. This was a mistake. The son of Hyperion has a full book at $5,000 live foal for 1950 season.

SEPTEMBER 10 CLOSING

Entries for the regular Keeneland Fall Sales will close September 10. This sale includes all ages and all classifications of Thoroughbred stock. It will be held in November.

THE COVER: HIGH FREQUENCY

High Frequency has won her stakes in the Midwest—the Powder Puff, Lads and Lassies, and Champion Stakes, at Detroit—but she was third in the Fashion Stakes, at Belmont Park in May, and despite a setback in the Schuylerville Stakes, at Saratoga, she remains one of the top 2-year-old fillies of the season.

She was bred by Phil T. Chinn's Old Hickory Farm, Inc., at Lexington, and was bought in the Keeneland Fall Sales of 1948 for $4,500 by Robert M. Wood, of Sheridan, Wyo. Her trainer is Robert Curran. The rider in the cover photo is Ronnie Nash. High Frequency is by Zacaweista—Bepwil, by Wise Counsellor.

SIDELIGHTS

(Continued from page 505)

swiftly get itself such a bad name that other states will not be moved to follow.

MARKET. The Saratoga market is following very closely the pattern established at Keeneland two weeks earlier, in that good horses are selling with real power, and poor horses are hardly accepted at any price. The auctioneers, in both cases, have had to twist the arms of the bidders severely, and in many cases a horse which seems to be hanging at somewhere around $2,000 will go on up eventually to $10,000 or so. But on good horses the bids come, if with exasperating slowness.

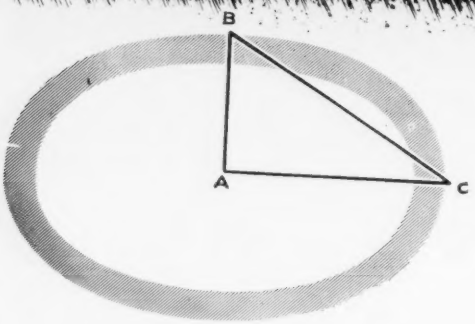
The Almahurst sale last Friday, particularly, indicated that the Saratoga market is at least no weaker than that at Keeneland, and some Kentucky consignors are beginning to wonder if it is not actually stronger. The notion here has been, all along, that both markets are stronger for being separated and that, while buyers can stand two doses of 400 yearlings each, any attempt to sell 800 at a time would be disastrous to all except the consignors of really first-class yearlings. But this consideration isn't going to keep individual breeders from hopping from one market to the other if they can see a temporary individual advantage.

One horseman pointed out a return to normal in the current sale. "You notice that the buyers are nearly all established horsemen? You don't see (here we'll skip a few names, for obvious reasons) buying any more. You go through the summaries now, and you know all the names."

This has to be taken with qualifications, of course, but in the main it's true. And as far as it is true, the real sucker market, for horses with a mane and tail, is disappearing. Every sign suggests a cutback in production would be beneficial. But here, also, history is likely to repeat itself.

TRACE ELEMENTS

A symposium on Trace Elements and their Importance in Thoroughbred Breeding was held at the Fasig-Tipton Company's sales pavilion at Saratoga on the morning of August 15. It was sponsored by the Saratoga Laboratories, Inc., in connection with the sales company. About 125 persons attended. Further details will be published in a later issue of THE BLOOD-HORSE. Tentative plans were made to conduct the symposiums on an annual basis. Blood chemistry of horses would be the subject in 1950.



Fastest way around the oval is figured with a SLIDE RULE

Snark	Boojum	John P. Grier
		Elf
	Helvetia	*Hourless
		*La Belle Helene
SLIDE RULE, dk. ch., 1940		
King's Idyll	*Sir Gallahad III	*Teddy
		Plucky Liege
	Etoile Filante	Fair Play
		Chit Chat

SLIDE RULE won $133,760. At 2 he won the Cowdin and Babylon Handicaps. In the former he ran 6½ furlongs in 1:17 1/5, only 1/5 off record time. At 3 he won the Experimental Free H., Swift Stakes, Peter Pan H., Classic Stakes, Jerome H., Interborough H., and Westchester H.

SNARK, the sire of Slide Rule, was a brilliant race horse. He set a new world record for 6½ furlongs in 1:15 4/5, won the 1¼ mile Suburban H. in 2:01 2/5. Snark also won Great American Stakes, Metropolitan H., Queens County H., Rochambeau H., and Paumonok H. He is the sire of Harmonica, Misleader, Optimism, Everget, Drumuir, etc.

KING'S IDYLL, the dam of Slide Rule, produced three winners. A daughter of *Sir Gallahad III, King's Idyll is out of Etoile Filante, dam of the top stakes winners: High Quest, Preakness and sire; Fair Star, Pimlico Futurity, Selima S., dam of Staretor and the top producer Star Fairy; Evening Tide, winner Saratoga Test S., stakes producer; Evening Shadow, 2nd in Spinaway, dam of Hampden; Sari, dam of stakes winner Sarada, granddam of Fond Embrace and Navy Chief; Bonne Etoile, dam of Gildes County, etc.

Figure Distance, Speed and Durability

Slide Rule raced clear through the season as a 3-year-old—from April to November—made 17 starts. When retired he was not only "the best 3-year-old in training, but perilously near to being the best horse of any age." Slide Rule was a stakes winner from six furlongs and up to 1 3/16 and 1¼ miles. He was second highweight in the Futurity and in his last start at three was giving actual weight away to older horses.

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SARATOGA SUMMARIES

(Continued from page 503)

Dk. b. c. by Roman—Mandalay, by Man o' War
Walter D. Fletcher and John C. Lawrence 17,500
Lt. b. c. by First Fiddle—Miss Blenheim, by *Blenheim 2nd
J. Graham Brown 12,000
B. c. by Challedon—*Nordresa, by Lovelace William Goadby Loew 7,600
B. c. by Pilate—Stepladder, by Chance Shot Roscoe Goose 3,100
B. f. by *Bernborough—Tankie, by Greenock P. L. Grissom 4,500
Ch. c. by Questionnaire—Tete-A-Tete, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd Mrs. C. O. Iselin 10,000
Ch. c. by War Jeep—Unmasked, by Pilate Leslie Combs 2nd 15,000
B. f. by Hash—Wise Daughter, by Wise Counsellor Hugh A. Grant 9,000
Gr. ro. c. by *Flushing 2nd—Wood Spirit, by Blue Larkspur
Mr. and Mrs. James A. Bayard 4,600

A. S. HEWITT

Ch. f. by Shut Out—Carbina, by Supremus Joseph diGeorgio 2,200
B. f. by Hoop, Jr.—Cloud Sweeper, by High Cloud Pasco Capuano 1,100
Ch. c. by Maxim—High Caste, by *Ksar
L. P. Doherty 4,900
Br. c. by Revoked—High Fashion, by *Blenheim 2nd
Walter D. Fletcher and John C. Lawrence 4,100
Ch. c. by Maxim—*Indian Queen 2nd, by Apron Clarence Hartwick 3,000
Dk. br. or blk. f. by *Blenheim 2nd—Snarkling, by Snark G. M. Humphrey 5,500
B. f. by Errard—Phara Frost, by *Pharamond 2nd Ernst Farm 500
B. f. by Maxim—Vaporize, by Nimba
Leslie Combs 2nd 1,800

KENTMERE FARM

Dk. b. c. by Case Ace—Blue Colors, by Blue Larkspur F. Ambrose Clark 7,800
B. f. by *Challenger 2nd—Chessel, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd Frank Christopher 2,800
B. f. by *Jacopo—Golden Maid, by *Golden Broom Rhoda Christmas 1,500
Ch. f. by War Relic—Here She Is, by Pompey Clarence Hartwick 4,300
Dk. br. c. by *Jacopo—Infinite Girl, by Infinite Pasco Capuano 1,600
Ch. f. by Balladier—Lovie, by *Donnacona William Goadby Loew 2,800
Ch. f. by War Admiral—Sorbonne, by Questionnaire J. Graham Brown 8,100

NORTH CLIFF FARM
(Mr. and Mrs. Melville Church 2nd)

Ch. f. by Pilate—Camera Shy, by Granville Clarence Hartwick 1,100
Ch. f. by *Challenger 2nd—Foxglow, by Gallant Fox E. Siravo 1,700
B. f. by Challedon—Jane Kemp, by *Wrack M. F. Drinkhouse 1,600
Ch. c. by Gallahadion—Lask, by Bull Lea F. Ambrose Clark 7,100
Dk. br. c. by *Jacopo—Lotus Flower, by Whichone Mrs. John Payson Adams 4,000
Ch. f. by Vincentive—Noticing, by Transmute Mrs. M. Dufford 1,200
B. c. by *Blenheim 2nd—Precipitation, by Stimulus H. L. Straus 11,000

NORTH WALES STUD

B. c. by Ramillies—Alpine Belle, by *Bel Aethel Peter Wilhowsky 4,000
Dk. br. c. by *Chrysler 2nd—Consolida, by Blue Larkspur J. E. Hughes 1,300
Br. c. by First Fiddle—Dinner Date, by Stimulus Mrs. C. O. Iselin 13,000
B. c. by Eurasian or Balmy Spring—Fibber, by Mate John T. Maloney 2,400
B. c. by Hoop, Jr.—Ghanzi, by *Mahmoud J. E. Ryan 6,500
Str. ro. c. by Ramillies—Infra Ray, by Stimulus Samuel M. Pistorio 900
Ch. c. by Pilate—Maradadi, by Stimulus Clarence Hartwick 7,600
Br. c. by By Jimminy—Marsh Marigold, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd
Mrs. Alfred Roberts 3,600
B. c. by Eurasian or Cedar Creek—Natomas, by Stimulus Apheim Stable 2,500
B. c. by Ramillies—Riskless, by *Bahram
Frank Frankel 1,500
Ch. c. by Ramillies—Speed Streak, by Flying Heels Sheldon H. Fairbanks 6,500
B. c. by Eurasian—Stiminnie, by Stimulus Sol Rutchik 4,500
B. c. by Alsab—Waves, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd David Nossek 1,700

AMONG THE SARATOGA BUYERS looking for racing material were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Seley, of California. Two of their purchases were from Henry H. Knight's Almahurst Farm consignment. They were a filly by *Heliopolis—Brush Away for $11,000, and a *Bull Dog colt for $16,000.

Saturday Morning, August 13

With the exception of Walter P. Chrysler's 11 fillies from North Wales Stud, no consignor had more than four horses in the Saturday morning sale. Thirteen consignors sold 32 head for a total of $81,100, average $2,534. Also, the smallest group of buyers at any session of the first week gathered for the sale.

The 11 Chrysler fillies brought a total of $25,300, average $2,300. The high price of the consignment was $6,500, paid by C. E. Mather 2nd for a filly by Head Play—*Therm, by Hyperion.

The highest average of the Saturday morning session was made by Walter A. Edgar, who sold two yearlings for a total of $10,700. His bay colt by Challedon—Penncote, by Pennant, brought the highest price of the session, $7,100. The second largest consignment of the Saturday sale was that of W. L. Brann, who sold four head for $14,600, average $3,650.

The summary:

Consignor	1949 No.	1949 Amt.	1949 Avg.	1948 No.	1948 Avg.
Brann, W. L.	4	$ 14,600	$3,650		
Edgar, Walter A.	2	10,700	5,350		
Hockley, C. F.	2	6,900	3,450		
Hurst, J. B.	1	1,000		1	20,000
Hurst, J. H.	1	1,700		1	3,500
King, Mrs. F. L.	2	5,900	2,950	1	2,100
Levinson, Edwin D.	1	1,700			
Lindsay, James B.	1	1,400		1	1,600
North Wales Stud	11	25,300	2,300	17	1,923
Paterno, Carlo M.	3	3,400	1,133	1	1,100
Rock Hill Farm	2	7,200	3,600		
Shank, O. D.	1	300			
Whitehall Farms	1	1,000			
	32	$ 81,100	$2,534		

Property of W. L. BRANN

Dk. b. f. by *Challenger 2nd—Dogana, by *Bull Dog William Ziegler Jr. $ 2,500
B. f. by *Challenger 2nd—Laura Lassie, by Gallant Fox W. F. Dobbs, agent 1,400
Br. c. by *Challenger 2nd—Our Bunny, by *Bull Dog Sanford Stud Farms 4,100
Ch. f. by *Challenger 2nd—Play Mary Jane, by Chance Play
William Ziegler Jr. 6,600

WALTER A. EDGAR

Dk. b. c. by Challedon—Penncote, by Pennant J. J. Swisher, agent 7,100
B. c. by *Princequillo—Victrix, by Pompey J. J. Swisher, agent 3,600

C. F. HOCKLEY

Br. c. by Lochinvar—*Etching, by Umidwar Cedar Farm 5,500
B. c. by *The Sultan—Fighting Lady, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd Addison Stable 1,400

J. B. HURST

Ro. f. by *Benagi—War Party, by Man o' War ..... Mrs. A. C. Randolph 1,000

J. H. HURST

Br. c. by War Jeep—Judy L., by Firethorn ..... Dr. A. C. Randolph 1,700

MRS. F. L. KING

Ch. f. by Pensive—Ever Supreme, by Supremus ..... Joseph B. Rosen 3,200

B. f. by Third Degree—Flyaway Home, by Display ..... H. S. Finney, agent 2,700

EDWIN D. LEVINSON

Ch. c. by Pictor—Pharalass, by *Pharamond 2nd ..... Mrs. E. A. Stein 1,700

JAMES B. LINDSAY

B. c. by *Jacopo—Consuello, by Wise Counsellor ..... Danny Shea, agent 1,400

NORTH WALES STUD

Gr. f. by Our Boots—Castle Haven, by Stimulus ..... J. North Fletcher 4,400

Ch. f. by Pilate—Fly Home, by *Pharamond 2nd ..... Clynmalyra Stud 2,600

Ch. f. by Ramillies—*In the Rough, by Fairway ..... Apheim Stable 2,100

B. f. by Ramillies—Larkquest, by Blue Larkspur ..... Dorothy Palmer 1,500

Br. f. by Eurasian—Lilabeth, by *Bahram ..... Sol Rutchik 500

Br. f. by Eurasian or Cedar Creek—Pellet, by Man o' War ..... Jules Schwartz 1,700

B. f. by By Jimminy—Polly Egret, by *Polymelian ..... Apheim Stable 2,000

B. f. by Ramillies—Sophia Tucker, by Haste ..... Mrs. C. Tumin 800

Ch. f. by Head Play—*Therm, by Hyperion ..... C. E. Mather 2nd 6,500

Str. ro. f. by Head Play—Tricolor, by Pont l'Eveque ..... E. J. Rousuck 1,300

B. f. by By Jimminy—*Utinta, by Umidwar ..... Tyson Gilpin 1,900

CARLO M. PATERNO

Ch. c. by Rosemont—Chypre, by Sweep All ..... Joseph diGeorgio 1,800

Ch. f. by *Rhodes Scholar—Mintana, by Stimulus ..... Danny Shea 900

B. c. by *Hilltown—Sagacious, by Swatter ..... W. B. Cooke 700

ROCK HILL FARM

B. f. by Revoked—War Strategy, by War Admiral ..... Sanford Stud Farm 4,800

B. f. by *Princequillo—Skyborne, by *Isolater ..... Belair Stud 2,400

O. D. SHANK

B. f. by Supremus—Teddy's Cross, by *Teddy ..... Mrs. Frank Hutton 300

WHITEHALL FARMS

B. c. by Swing and Sway—Newt's First, by Jack High ..... E. O. Kling 1,000

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GAINES BROTHERS

B. c. by Eternal Bull—Emma Dear, by General Thatcher.

B. f. by Eternal Bull—Unfortunate, by Jock.

EDWIN D. LEVINSON

Br. c. by Hash—Camouflage, by *Rhodes Scholar.

Monday Night, August 15

The yearling sale swung into the second week on Monday night with a lower average than any of the first six sessions. Forty-five head brought $73,650, average $1,637. The high price of the evening was paid for a bay colt by First Fiddle—Grand Drive, by Grand Time, from the consignment of Mrs. David A. Buckley's High Acre Farm. William Ziegler Jr. got him for $8,100. The High Acre consignment of two fillies and three colts went for an average of $3,560, the highest of the evening.

The second highest price of the session was paid for one of the French yearlings consigned by J. F. Flanagan, of Monkton, Md. John M. Schiff paid $7,000 for a son of Mont-a-la-Quesne—Fondettes, by Kopi. The entire lot of 12 head brought $19,700, an average of $1,642. The summary:

	1949			1948	
Consignor	No.	Amt.	Avg.	No.	Avg.
Cadwalader, Henry	1	$ 900			
Davin, Leo W.	2	800	$ 400	1	$1,200
Duntreath Farm	8	14,900	1,863	2	5,350
Evans, David O.	6	1,250	208		
Flanagan, J. F., agent	12	19,700	1,642	10	2,540
Godfrey, Philip	1	250			
Hadcock, Leon	2	550	275		
High Acre Farm (Mrs. David A. Buckley)	5	17,800	3,560		
Le Mar Stock Farm (W. F. Wollin)	2	5,000	2,500	6	2,117
Miller, C. Earle and Joseph R. Steinman	1	1,300			
Patterson, Donald W.	2	4,700	2,350	1	300
Schuttinger, Mrs. A.	3	6,500	2,167		
	45	$73,650	$1,637		

Property of HENRY CADWALADER

Br. f. by *Easton—High Bit, by High Quest ..... Happy Hill Farm $ 900

LEO W. DAVIN

Dk. b. c. by Haltal—Fair Flag, by *Omar Khayyam ..... Laurenti and Bartlett 300

Ch. c. by Curate—Winnadale, by *Rosedale 2nd ..... Dr. John A. Hoy 500

DUNTREATH FARM

B. c. by Tintagel—Best Blister, by War Admiral ..... Stemar Stable 2,100

B. f. by Tintagel—Cupcake, by Cravat ..... Richard D. Carlson 600

Dk. b. f. by Tintagel—Dorothy Agnes, by Kilkerry ..... Bruno and Dryer 500

B. c. by Tintagel—Ina Dear, by Rip Rap ..... P. A. Grissom 5,600

Ch. c. by Sky Raider—Maschera, by *Over There ..... Philip Schwartz 1,600

B. c. by *Swift and Sure—Meselia, by Messenger ..... P. A. Grissom 1,700

Dk. br. c. by Sky Raider—Sister Fox, by Fighting Fox ..... G. R. Bryson 1,700

Ch. c. by Sedgemoor—Viento, by Sweep All ..... D. E. Holeman 1,100

DAVID O. EVANS

Ch. c. by Kerry Patch—Kaymarion, by Aneroid ..... Dr. J. W. Bowley 150

B. c. by Samhar—Norristown, by Crack Brigade ..... Arthur Woodbury 200

Ch. f. by Jacomar—Our Diana, by Diavolo ..... David Weissberger 250

B. c. by Wave On—Perlette, by Percentage ..... Dr. J. W. Bowley 150

B. c. by Opera Hat—Pillarita, by Pillory ..... Dr. J. W. Bowley 300

B. c. by Peace Chance—Travelo, by Dunlin ..... Toddy Schwarz 200

J. F. FLANAGAN, agent

*B. c. by Blue Moon—Cle de Fa, by Finglas ..... Ashland Stable 700

*B. c. by Lord Bob—Dame Regina, by Feridoon ..... James T. Duffy Jr. 600

*B. f. by Lord Bob—Feu Follet 3rd, by Pampeiro ..... Lester Manor Stable 800

*B. c. by Mont-a-la-Quesne—Fondettes, by Kopi ..... John M. Schiff 7,000

*B. f. by Le Pacha—Manolla, by Chateau Bouscaut ..... Benjamin O'Shea 3,700

*B. f. by Lord Bob—Melibee, by Firdaussi ..... Bruno and Dryer 700

*B. f. by Le Pampre—Oceane, by Sir Nigel ..... Duke Montour 1,500

*B. c. by Lied—Princesse de Lorraine, by Prince Rose ..... J. J. Kann 700

*Ch. c. by Saint Preux—Rose Rouge, by Brabant ..... Stemar Stable 2,500

*Ch. c. by Lord Bob—Trifleur, by Caligula ..... James T. Duffy Jr. 200

MRS. JOHN D. HERTZ, through the Clark Horse Agency, paid $25,000 for this Bull Lea—Alpoise filly from the Ernst Farm consignment. Prospective buyers had become acquainted with the filly through china plates bearing her picture, used as promotion pieces by Manager Lou Doherty.

*B. c. by Meridien—Viennoise, by Nino Duke Montour 300
*Gr. c. by Loliondo—Yesidis, by Lorenzo de Medici ..... Arthur White 1,000

PHILIP GODFREY

B. c. by Vincentive—Helen Mac, by *Rolls Royce ..... Dr. J. W. Bowley 250

LEON HADCOCK

B. f. by Rodney—Dogwood, by *Abbot's Nymph ..... Danny Shea 300
B. c. by Omaha—Otay Amazon, by Son o' Battle ..... Dr. J. W. Bowley 250

HIGH ACRE FARM (Mrs. David A. Buckley)

B. c. by First Fiddle—Grand Drive, by Grand Time ..... William Ziegler Jr. 8,100
B. c. by Star Beacon—Grand Promise, by Grand Time ..... Roscoe Goose, agent 2,300
Ch. f. by Straight Lead—Runamuck, by Chilhowee ..... N. Miles, agent 2,100
B. f. by *Jacopo—Smart Crack, by *Kiev Sidney Schupper 2,400
Ch. c. by Alorter—Strolling Easy, by *Strolling Player ..... Donald Dryer, agent 2,900

LE MAR STOCK FARM (W. F. Wollin)

Ch. c. by Colony Boy—Lausanne, by Starpatic ..... Dr. J. W. Bowley 1,000
Br. c. by Free For All—More News, by Misstep ..... William Ziegler Jr. 4,000

C. EARLE MILLER AND JOSEPH R. STEINMAN

Dk. b. c. by *Piping Rock—La Traviata, by Caruso ..... Max Hirsch 1,300

DONALD W. PATTERSON

Lt. ch. f. by Head Play—Boot Dust, by Boot to Boot ..... Robert Curran 4,000
Lt. b. c. by Pensive or Tintagel—Somerville, by Sun Beau ..... Addison Stable 700

MRS. A. SCHUTTINGER

Br. c. by Wildlife—Grail, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd ..... Clarence Buxton 3,800
Ch. c. by Wildlife—Picture Hat, by Head Play ..... Dr. J. W. Bowley 1,100
Br. f. by Wildlife—Pixey Dell, by Pilate Robert Curran, agent 1,600

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HENRY CADWALADER

B. f. by Mr. Bones—Purple Dawn, by *Bright Knight.

DAVID O. EVANS

B. f. by Busy Wire—Tempesta, by Lightning Artist.

PETER HANRETTE

Br. f. by Curate—Running Mate, by Harmonicon.

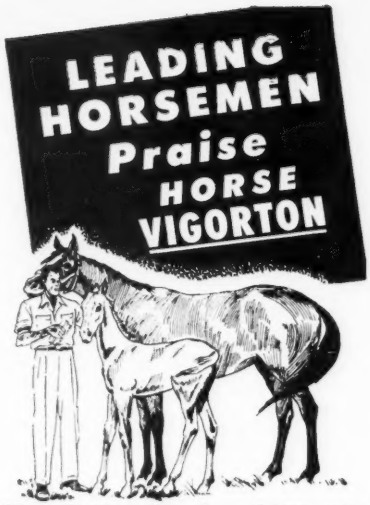
FREDERICK ROBINSON

Ch. c. by Swing and Sway—Chessie, by In Memoriam.
B. c. by *Hypnotist 2nd—Frilled, by Pompey.
Dk. b. c. by Cedar Creek—Ma Belle, by Black Toney.

Tuesday Night, August 16

Twenty-two of the 49 yearlings catalogued for Tuesday night were withdrawn from the sale, leaving only 27 to be sold. However, the average price of the 27 which were sold was well above the average of the comparable session in 1948. Last year 41 head were sold in the eighth session for an average of $1,167. The average this year for 27 head was $2,046, almost twice that of last year. The total was $55,250.

The high price of the session was for Mrs. Marie Moore's colt by Jack High—Memoirs, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd. Oleg T.



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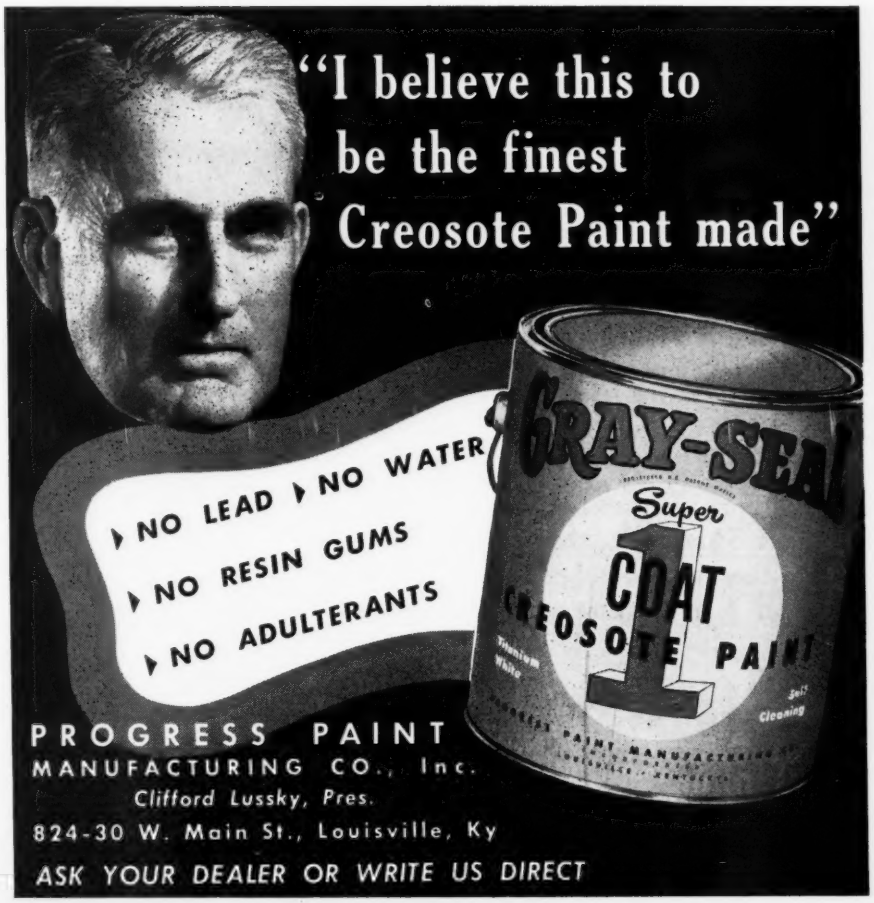

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Dubassoff paid $7,100 for him. The next highest price was $6,100, paid by Honeywell Farm for a gray son of *Benagi. Gilman Brothers' filly by Neddie—Give Over, by Flight of Time. brought the highest price of her sex, $1,500. The summary:

Consignor	1949 No.	1949 Amt.	1949 Avg.	1948 No.	1948 Avg.
Brookwood Farm (Garrett S. Claypool)	4	$12,600	$3,200	1	$1,100
Brown, Col. and Mrs. C. H.	3	3,900	1,300	2	4,900
Brown, Col. Campbell H., agent	3	2,650	883		
Ford, Mrs. John E., Jr.	1	3,400			
Gilman Brothers	2	2,400	1,200		
High Hope Farm (Mrs. Marie A. Moore)	9	22,900	2,544	8	1,631
Mulholland Brothers	1	5,300		1	7,500
Murphy, John D.	3	1,000	333	1	700
Perryman, A. R.	1	1,100			
	27	$55,250	$2,046		

Property of BROOKWOOD FARM
(Garrett S. Claypool)

Ch. c. by War Relic—Carolla, by Omaha ..... G. M. Cohen $ 4,200
B. f. by *Sir Mill—June Blenheim, by *Benagi ..... Hugh Grant 1,400
B. c. by *Benagi—Merry Irene, by Genie ..... Raymond Salois 900
Gr. c. by *Benagi—Red Duster, by Sweep All ..... Honeywell Farm 6,100

COL. AND MRS. C. H. BROWN

Blk. f. by Fenelon—Evernear, by Eternal ..... C. Earl Miller 1,000
Blk. f. by Chicuelo—Thumb Tack, by Hard Tack ..... W. F. Dobbs 900
B. c. by Flares—Toro Prodigy, by Toro ..... P. A. Markey 2,000

COL. CAMPBELL H. BROWN, agent

B. c. by Our Boots—Lady Discovery, by Discovery ..... Morris H. Dixon 2,000
Lt. b. f. by Boy Knight—Lady Sedberry, by Sgt. Byrne or Bottle Cap ..... Mrs. M. Sedberry 350
Blk. f. by *Benagi—Zelora, by Danby ..... Frank Bliss 300

MRS. JOHN E. FORD, JR.

B. c. by Balladier—Say Miss, by Missstep ..... Clark Horse Agency 3,400

GILMAN BROTHERS

Ch. f. by Neddie—Give Over, by Flight of Time ..... H. S. Clark, agent 1,500
B. f. by Gino Rex—Hylo Miss, by *Congo ..... Chester Myers 900

HIGH HOPE FARM (Mrs. Marie A. Moore)

Br. f. by Pass Out—Betty Betty, by Blue Larkspur ..... Bermill Farm 3,600
B. f. by Vincentive—Carnina, by *Carlaris ..... Cromwell Bloodstock Agency 1,100
Ch. c. by Vincentive—Church Supper, by Agrarian ..... G. M. Cohen 1,900
B. f. by Vincentive—Knitetta, by *Bright Knight ..... Morris H. Dixon 700
Ch. c. by Vincentive—Madcap Yankee, by Infinite ..... J. S. Kroese 2,000
B. f. by Vincentive—Mary Beam, by Sun Beau ..... J. M. Jerkens 800
Ch. c. by Jack High—Memoirs, by *Sir Gallahad 3rd ..... Oleg T. Dubassoff 7,100
Ch. c. by Vincentive—Princess Reigh, by Reigh Count ..... Mrs. S. C. Tumin 1,500
Ch. c. by Vincentive—Rosy Dollar, by *Rosolio ..... Morris H. Dixon 4,200

MULHOLLAND BROTHERS

Ch. c. by *Ambrose Light—Bonni View, by Boniface ..... Ed Hayward, agent 5,300

JOHN D. MURPHY

Br. f. by Signator—Libby Gal, by Hadagal ..... Martin L. Wilson 450
B. c. by Capt. James—Parma Molly, by Hurryoff ..... C. F. Ebert 100
Br. f. by *Tourist 2nd—Sad Sadie, by *Kantar ..... Martin L. Wilson 450

A. R. PERRYMAN

Ch. c. by Omaha—Pathetic, by Audacious ..... Raymond Salois 1,100

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BROOKWOOD FARM (Garrett S. Claypool)

Br. f. by Sir Mill—Rely On, by Jamestown.

COL. CAMPBELL H. BROWN, agent

Blk. f. by Bull Brier—Colhour, by *Hourless.
Dk. b. or blk. f. by Boy Knight—My Peach, by Pairbypair.
Br. f. by Condiment—Pompish, by Pompey.
Br. c. by *Winter Rules—Valdina Belle, by Sortie.

GILMAN BROTHERS

Gr. f. by Gino Rex—Jalaine, by *Masked Marvel 2nd.

HIGH HOPE FARM (Mrs. Marie A. Moore)

B. f. by Pass Out—Calcho, by Cavalcade.

J. S. LANSILL (John W. Hawes, agent)

B. c. by Our Boots—Miss Quiz, by Questionnaire.

JOHN W. STANLEY

Br. c. by Halcyon—Ara's Girl, by Zacaweista.
Dk. b. c. by Balladier—Broomshot, by Whisk Broom 2nd.
B. f. by Halcyon—Echolette, by *By-Pass 2nd.
B. c. by Halcyon—Elizabeth Seth, by Seth.
B. f. by Halcyon—Liseusette, by Main Man.
B. c. by Halcyon—Miss Chancery, by Wise Counsellor.
B. f. by Halcyon—Roumelia, by *Blue Pete.
Ch. f. by Hurrying Fox—Sea Flower, by *Craigangower.
B. c. by Halcyon—Sweet Song, by Zacaweista.
Gr. f. by Halycon—Thrumcap, by War Whoop.
Blk. c. by Halcyon—Tragic Muse, by Victorian.
B. f. by Halcyon—Wee Hedwig, by Chilhowee.

DR. WALTER T. VENN

Blk. c. by Halcyon—Honorine, by *Pharamond 2nd.
Blk. c. by Halcyon—Miss Wise, by Wise Counsellor.

BULL REIGH AND *PRETAL

Two California-owned horses met death during the last month. First, Bull Reigh, 11-year-old son of *Bull Dog—Risque Reigh, by Reigh Count, suffered a pulmonary hemorrhage and died. He was buried on a 40-acre ranch paid for out of his Turf winnings.

At the time of his death, Bull Reigh was owned by Carlotta Jelm, screen actress. Bull Reigh, winner of $183,330, was raced at three by Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pelleteri, and at one time was trained by Hirsch Jacobs. He was obtained by Miss Jelm on a $5,000-claim, and for her he won nearly $150,000.

The other California loss was the Argentine-bred *Pretal, owned by Anita King and Gus Luellwitz. The colt pulled up lame in the Sunset Handicap and was found to have multiple fractures in the left fore foot. He was destroyed.

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MEMORANDUM ON NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE AND HUNT ASSOCIATION REGISTRATIONS AFFECTING NEWLY ORGANIZED RACE MEETINGS:

HORSES: Under Rule 81(a) horses must be

1. Thoroughbreds registered with The Jockey Club.

2. Registered for racing purposes only with the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association. Note: The requirements for this registration call for photographs of the head and both sides of the animal; the pedigree if known, age, sex and color, and a history of the past ownership. This registration permits a horse to run in a steeplechase anywhere in the country, as well as at all hunt meetings.

The exception to this rule for horses not fitting into the above two classifications:

3. Horses to be approved by the local race commitee on the basis of personal knowledge of the owner, and if possible, some knowledge of the horse. In order that some semblance of an accurate record can be kept, the horse must consistently be entered with the same name and description. Horses coming under this classification cannot be considered registered, and the arrangement would have to be one of expediency, and which might be changed in the light of experience.

AMATEUR RIDERS: Under Rule 232, a person desiring as an amateur rider must hold a certificate as such. However, under paragraph 2 of the N. B. to this rule, the stewards of the meeting can grant temporary permission for a person to ride two races in any one year, and further Rule 238 provides that a rider who has never ridden a race must ride two races before a certificate is granted.

In practice this means that an application for a certificate need not be filed by someone intending to ride at one meeting only. Should the stewards grant temporary permission to a rider, and deem his performance so unskilled as to constitute a danger to himself or to other riders, or if his conduct or riding tactics be objectionable, the stewards should so report to the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association office.

One of the principal qualifications for an amateur certificate, is that the applicant must never have ridden for money or other remuneration, in races, horse shows, hunting, or in a livery stable.

JOCKEYS: Same as amateur riders, see Rules 232 through 249.

TRAINERS: May be given temporary permission by stewards of the meeting under third paragraph of N. B., Rule 232. This privilege good for two meetings in any one year.

Under Paragraph 1 of the N. B. to Rule 232, an owner training his own horses or those of his immediate family does not require a license.

OWNERS: Are not required to be licensed at meetings sanctioned by the hunts committee.

RACING COLORS: An owner starting a horse at one or two meetings a year may be given permission by the stewards to use a set of racing silks without registration of same. However to avoid conflict with other silks, it is advisable that a registration be made.

Under special circumstances a horse may be allowed to run in colors not those of the owner by permission of the stewards. See Rules 253 A. This is designed to cover the contingency of colors not being available the day of the races, or in a case where an owner is racing a horse for the first time, and may never race again. In general, however, substitution of colors is not a good practice and should be discouraged.

GENERAL: From the above, it will be seen that the question of registrations leaves a great deal to the stewards of the meeting. In general licenses and registrations are not required where the owner, trainer, rider or horse participates at one or two meetings only. If several meetings are involved, registrations may be necessary.

This is the first of several memoranda prepared by the hunts commitee with respect to hunt race meetings.

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Past Performances

From THE BLOOD-HORSE of August 24, 1929

John Hay Whitney may bring Royal Minstrel to America to stand at Greentree Stud in Kentucky when his racing days are ended.

It was reported that S. W. Labrot had refused an offer of $25,000 for Dinah Did Upset, 2-year-old daughter of Upset and Dinah Did, which recently won the Test Stakes. A full brother to this filly was sold in the consignment of Thomas Piatt at Saratoga for $12,000.

Charles T. Worthington died on August 15. Mr. Worthington had been active in Turf activities and owned many good horses in the past 20 years.

Col. E. R. Bradley bought privately two English-bred fillies from John Sanford of Amsterdam, N. Y. He planned to retire them as broodmares after racing them.

Caruso, ridden by Mack Garner, added another stakes victory to his record when he won the Grab Bag Handicap over a heavy track. He carried top weight, giving four pounds to Flying Heels, which ran second.

H. P. Whitney's Beacon Hill scored his first stakes victory when he won easily the 60th running of the Travers Midsummer Derby at Saratoga, August 17.

The general average at the end of nine sessions of the Saratoga Yearling Sales was $635 greater than the general average for nine sessions in 1928. Kenneth N. Gilpin averaged $1,558 for 12 head at Saratoga. Top price from the Gilpin consignment was $3,100 for a bay colt by Dunlin—Harlem Lass. Arthur B. Hancock realized the best average of his career as a breeder when he reached the mark of $6,015 for 55, totaling $308,600. In the Hancock consignment, there were eight which brought $10,000 or more each. Greentree Stable paid $30,000 for a chestnut colt by Whisk Broom 2nd—*Royal Dispatch, by *Ambassador 4th, from the Hancock consignment.

Phil T. Chinn sold 54 head at Saratoga for $455,100, averaging $8,426. Mrs. Charles Amory, owner of Sagamore Stables, paid top price of $45,000, for a chestnut son of Man o' War out of Milky Way, by *Star Shoot.

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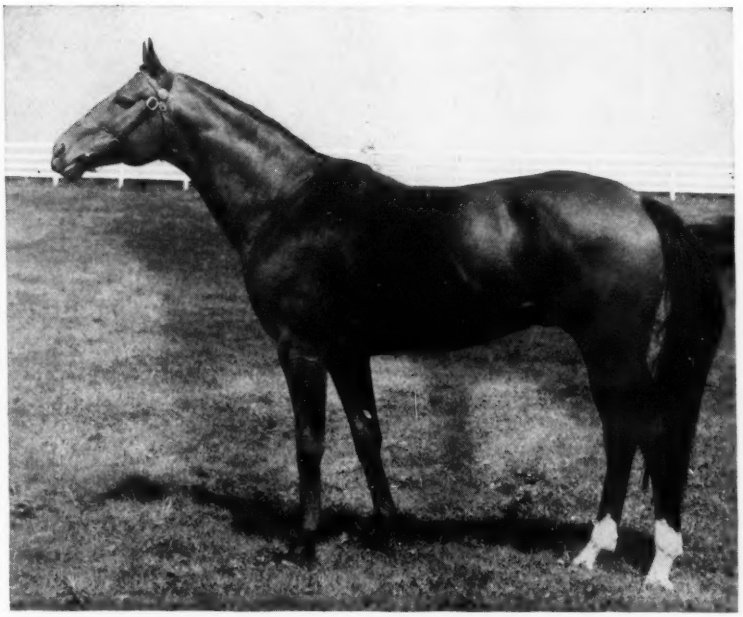

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In 1949, as in previous years, Eternal Bull ranks with the leading sires of 2-year-old winners. Himself, a horse of record breaking speed, Eternal Bull passes on this early speed. Excluding his current 2-year-olds, Eternal Bull has sired 73% winners from all starters. He has seven 2-year-old winners out in 1949. 1950 Fee, $1,500 Live Foal.

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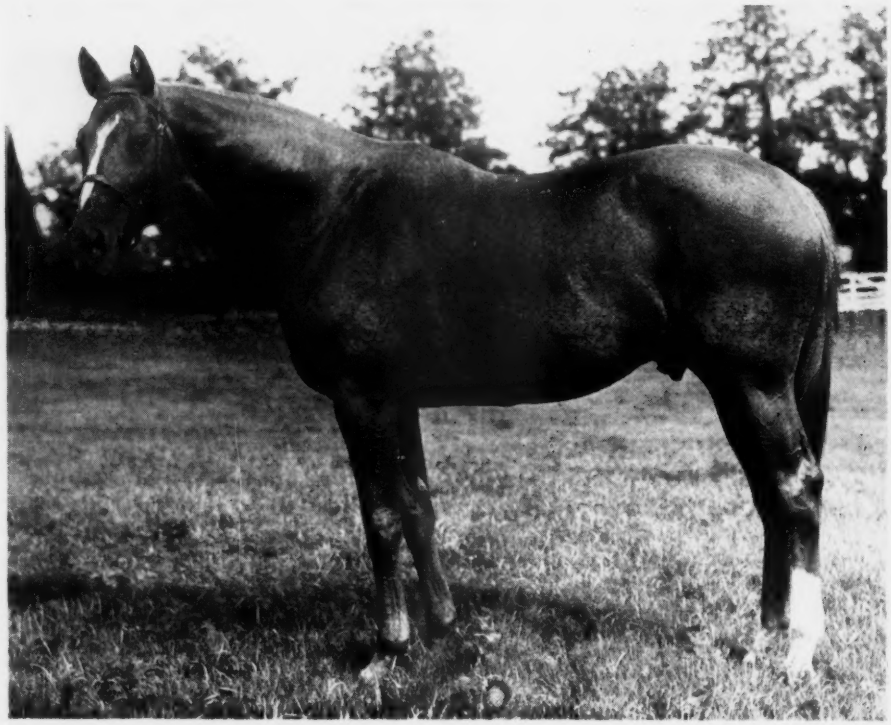

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Although our reports of 1949 racing in Italy are meager, complete 1948 figures show that *Sirte's crop which raced as 3-year-olds last year included five stakes winners to the end of 1948. This is a good record for any sire under any conditions, but it is remarkable in this instance since the crop included less than 15 foals. The war and the location of the stud where *Sirte stood held down the size of his books in Italy. Ordinarily this explanation would be made to excuse a sire for lack of performance, but in this case it is made to show what a large percentage of horses of class are gotten by *Sirte. The five stakes winners in this one crop are the colts Filobello, Nord, and Inconscio, and the fillies Contesa and Favetta.

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